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## Local Matters

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE

The local lodges of Odd Fellows, together with the Rebekah Lodges, held a big celebration on Thursday evening in commemoration of the 104th anniversary of the establishment of Odd Fellowship in America. There was a big parade in the carly evening, a supper in the Odd Fellows' building, followed by an entertainment and dance in the State Armory until the small hours of the morning. Every item on the busy program went off exactly as planned and everyone who attended had a most enjoyable evening.

To the general public, the spectacular part of the celebration was the big parade, and this was really very attractive, exceeding that of last year. There were many gaily decorated floats in line, representing various incidents in the Order. Each of the three Rebekah lodges, Sarah, Esther, Emma, had a float bearing members of the lodges and each of the Odd Fellows lodges, Oakland, Excelsion and Rhode Island, was also similarly represented. These were not only beautifully decorated, but were also valuable because of their fraternal significance. The members of Canton Newport marched in their showy uniforms, and the other or street, Touro street, Thames street, ganizations on foot included Aquidneck Encampment, Oakland, Excelsior and Rhode Island lodges. There was a long line of automobiles carrying visitors and distinguished guests. The Asir Sanctorum Band of Provi-dence, and the Municipal Band of Newport furnished music. In the absence of Schator Arthur A. Sherman in Providence, Charles Gregory acted as Chief Marshal.

The parade terminated at Odd Fellows Hall where a bountiful supper was served. Everybody then proceeded to the State Armory, where a pleasing program of vocal and instrumental music was presented. A series of old fashioned square dances member of the old common council, A'clock.

### WAGE ORDER SUSPENDED

Announcement has been sent out from Washington that the recent wage scale as recommended by the general wage board for civilian enployes of government yards will be suspended as far as reductions are concerned, and that a new survey of wage conditions will be started im-

It is now stated that there will be no reduction in wages during the present year which ends on July 1st, and that by the time the new year opens a new wage scale will have been adopted. In September the new wage board comes into being and another revision will probably be started at that time.

Representatives of a Boston firm have been in Newport selling and installing a certain type of lighting fixture, for which payment may be made on the installment plan. Inasmuch as the out-of-town parties have tian and was well known in the first no local electricians' licenses the board of electrical examiners have issued orders that they shall do no lican Club and an active worker in more installation in Newport.

Pormer Superintendent Jones, of the Newport & Providence Railway, has been calling upon old friends in Jones was located for a number of way there, but for the past year he Scabury served as Major of Engin-has been enjoying a well-carned rest. leers.

AMERICANIZATION DAY

Friday was observed as Americanization Day in Newport and there was a series of big demonstrations in the interests of "One country, one." language, one flag," etc. The Veterans of Foreign Wars were really, in charge of the day, with the hearty cooperation of other veteran organizations, civie bodies, and officials of the national, state and city governments. Colonel McKelvy, who is in command of the local section of the Marine Corps, has devoted much time and effort to this object, and his work has met with pronounced success. .

The day was a very busy one in Newport. Two parades were held, there was speaking in the public schools, and there was a big demonstration in the State Armory, at which speeches were made by able speakers. In addition, high officers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars were present to assist in the demonstration. The weather was delightful and in consequence there was a large crowd of people on the streets to wit-

Newport Friday morning, Another feature of the morning was the addresses given in all the schools.

In the afternoon, the largest parade of regular soldiers and sailors that has been seen since war days, passed through the principal streets. It was a really notable affair and made a deep impression upon all who witnessed it. Colonel William R. Doores, commandant at Fort Adams, was the Chief Marshal. The line was headed by several companies of Coast Artillery with the Seventh Artillery Band. Then came a battalion of Marines, trim and efficient as always. Following them came the representation from the Navy, consisting of the apprentices from the Training Station with their full band and bugle corps. There were approximately 2000 men in line, and the spectacle was very impressive.

The evening parade was under the command of General Herbert Bliss and comprised the Newbort Artillery Republic, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Spanish War Veterans, and civic organizations. The line was formed on Washington Square and at 6.30 moved out Broadway, Powel Avenue, Kay to State Armory. Upon arrival at the Armory the guests proceeded to the seats that had been reserved for them and the exercises then proceeded. 1 Prominent men from various speakers and some stirring addresses vere made.

Throughout the day the American was everywhere displayed throughout the city. In the theatres, pictures were thrown on the screens to continue the work of the day.

### JOHN H. COTTRELL

Mr. John H. Cottrell, a former was put on, with Benjamin F. Down-, and for a time engaged in the shoe his home followed by general dancing until one on Pelham street on Tuesday, at the had been complained of for brutally interest in municipal affairs and was ing the woman under arrest, she long an active worker in the Dem- fought against being removed from terms as a member of the city com-

> William E. Brightman has instituted an action in the Superior Court gansett Bay Realty Co. and against the Narragansett Bay Realty Company to recover the sum of \$4,212.16 and interest. Mr. Brightman claims that he loaned the Company \$500, paid premiums on insurance policies at their request, and that there is due city for the other woman. She was him dividends on preferred and on common stock. The case gives indication of being more or less com-Clarke.

Mr. Harry G. Christian died on Thursday after a considerable illness. He was a son of Mr. Harry C. Chrisward, where he was 2 prominent member of the Young Men's Republocal politics. He was thirty-three years of age.

the late Hon. T. Mumford Scabury of and refuse that is placed on the side-Newport during the past week. Mr. this city, has been elected manager walks at the usual time for collecof the Providence Safety Council, and tions in the different wards. These years in Austin, Texas, where he will enter upon his new duties im- clean-up weeks have proved a suc-was superintendent of the street rail- mediately. During the war, Mr. cess in the past by removing unsight-

DISCUSSED BROADWAY PAVE-

The board of aldermen had a long and buny session Tuesday evening, most of the time being devoted to matters connected with the new pavement on Broadway. There was conhiderable discussion regarding the removal of poles from that thoroughfare. Although the board had previously given their approval to the plans as presented by the Telephone Company, it was felt that none but absolutely necessary poles should allowed to remain on Broadway, and it was thought best to hold another conference with the representatives of the public service corporations on Thursday evening.

The matter of engaging an outside road engineer also provoked much discussion: Aldermen Hughes, Kirby and Allan were in favor of securing the services of an expert, while Aldermen Hanley and Martin felt that the City Engineer was entirely competent to handle the job and did not feel disposed to go over ness the parade and other features. his head. It was announced that Mr. Adjutant General R. E. Eaton of Patterson of the State Board of Roads the National Department of the Vet- had given the committee the name erans of Foreign Wars, arrived in of an expert, and they were trying to get him to come here before the meeting of the representative council next Tuesday.

Resolutions were drawn for submission to the special council meetauthorizing the issuance of \$50,000 of the pavement bonds. The board will advertise for bids for curbing and for granite blocks. There was some question as to the form of pavement to be laid, as the city solicitor took the ground that the city was not bound to the concrete pavement. Most of the board seemed to he in favor of granite blocks, as being the most permanent form of construction.

A petition from the Newport Gas Light Company for permission to open the sewer outlet to drain water from their cellar was referred to Alderman Martin and Street Commissioner Sullivan.

At the weekly meeting of the board of aldermen on Thursday evening, representativese of the various public Company, the Grand Army of the service corporations appeared before the board in regard to freeing Broadway of poles and wires. While all expressed a willingness to cooperate' in the improvement of that thoroughfare, there did not appear to be any likelihood of a radical reduction in the number of poles because of the necessity for supporting the trolley wires and street lights.

The members of the board also had a long executive session with walks of life had been secured as City Engineer Roland J. Easton, in regard to the engineering work in preparation for the new Broadway

### CHIEF HAS BROKEN NOSE

Chief of Police John S. Tobin has a broken nose and a very much battered appearance of countenance as noon. The Chief and Assistant In- cated with stock that threw off an spector Furey went to 17 West Broadto arrest a colorec age of 72 years. He took a deep assaulting a colored man. After placocratic party, having served several the house. It is charged that her husband, George A. Primm, and Mrs. Ida Sutton, who is said to be the occupant of the house, came to her assistance and a large bottle figured as weapon. Chief Tobin was struck against the Trustees of the Narra | a heavy blow across the nose, while the party was on the stairs, blood flowing freely.

In the melee, Mrs. Primm escapeo but her husband and Mrs. Sutton were taken to the Police Station, while a search was made of the entire found several days later and paid a fine of \$20 for simple assault. Primm was charged with assault on an offplicated. The trustees are Thomas cer and pleading not guilty was held B. Congdon, Edward A. Brown, Geo. in \$900 bail. Mrs. Sutton pleaded not W. Bacheller, Jr., and William P. guilty to a charge of resisting an officer, and her bail was fixed at a lower

> time to secure medical attention, his injuries were dressed, and it was then found that the nose was broken, and will never be restored to its original shape. He has suffered much pain.

Next week will be "Clean-up Week" in Newport. The garbage Mr. George T. Seabury, a son of collectors will take away all garbage

#### NEWPORT ARTILERY

At the annual business meeting of the Newport Artillery Company held . at the Armory on Tuesday evening, Colonel McKelvy addressed the Company on the matter of Americanization Day and General Herbert Bliss urgel a large attendance at the parade. Various annual reports of ofitcers and committees were submitted and approved. It was decided to pass the election of a Colonel, and William Knowe was elected Lieutenant-Colonel. The other officers are as follows:

Maje: --- Passed. Captain and Adjutant—Passed, Captain—Albert Manchester, Quartermaster—Lieutenant Harry

I. Hayden. First Lieutenant and Chaplain— Rev. Stanley C. Hughes. Major and Surgeon—Dr. William

First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon-Dr. Douglas P. A. Jacoby. First Lieutenant and Paymaster-

First Lieutenant and Commissary—
Charles T. Bliss.
First Lieutenant and Commissary—
Howard R. Peckham.
First Lieutenant and Inspector of
Rifle Practice—Daniel R. Peckham.
Second Lieutenant and Assistant
Paymaster—William R. Harkins

Paymaster—William R. Harkins. First Sergeant—S. Franklin Carr. Second Sergeant—George B. Hen-

derson. -· Third Sergeant--Howard R. Wheel-Fourth Sergeant-Harold B. Dur-

Fifth Sergeant-Bertram Shell-

Entertainment Committee—Lieut. Douglas P. A. Jacoby, Lieut. William R. Harkins, Sergeant S. Franklin Carr, Sergeant Bertram Shellman, Private Samuel Abrams.

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Athletic Committee—Lieut. H. H.
Hayden, Sergeant Vincent M. P. Pinto, Sergeant Major Harold B. Knowe,
Sergeant George B. Henderson, Corporal Ralph C. Smith.
Sick Committee—Chaplain Stanley
C. Hughes, Lieut. Daniel R. Peckham, Sergeant S. Franklin Carr, Sergeant George R. Henderson, Sergeant
Harold B. Durfee.
Nominating Committee—Captain
Albert Manchester, Lieut. H. H. Hayden, Lieut. William R. Harkins, Sergeant
V. M. P. Pinto, Corporal Raymond E. Spence.
Auditing Committee—Sergeant
Howard R. Wheeler, Sergeant Harolo

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### A BROADWAY FIRE

There was a bad fire in the Horgan block at the southwest corner of Broadway and Caleb Earl street early Sunday morning, during which several lives were endangered. Had it not been for the discovery of the blaze by a late passerby on Broadway, several families residing in the upper part of the building would probably have lost their lives.

Michael Powers discovered the fire the National Hardware Store about two o'clock Sunday morning, and gave the alarm at the No. 4 Engine House. Early arrivals at the scene busied themselves in awakening the occupants of the upper floor and leading them to a place of safety, as heavy dense smoke had already filled the building. The blaze appearthe result of a fracas in a house on led to have started in the rear of the West Broadway last Sunday after- hardware store and had communiunusually heavy smoke. Flames had penetrated the partitions and a large amount of water had to be used before the fire was under control.

The lower floor is occupied by the hardware store, Christensen's news room (formerly Wood's) and the Ford Agency. All were more or less damaged by water. The upper floor sustained less damage, although in some of the tenements more or less water was used:

The cause of the fire is unknown.

The Chamber of Commerce is look. ing into the possibility of securing a good landing place for the New York and Newport air line that will be established during the coming summer. A meeting of the committee of 100 will be held soon to hear a talk from representatives of the line as to what is required and to consider methods of financing it.

The State Pure Pood Commission has had warrants served upon two Portsmouth farmers charged with As soon as Chief Tobin found adulterating their milk by adding water thereto. The men were arraigned before Clerk George H. Kelley on Thursday and pleaded not guilty. They were released on \$200

> Work on the new cigar factory on Commercial wharf is progressing well and the wooden forms have been removed from some of the completed concrete work.

Coroner Perry E. Dawley has filed with the Attorney General and with the Clerk of the Superior Court a report on the death of John R. Hicks of Middletown.

#### MIDDLETOWN

(From our regular correspondent) Pomona Grange Meeting

The April meeting of the Newport County Pomona Grange was held as an afternoon and evening affair in-the town hall of Jamestown. Worthy the town half of Jamestown. Worthy Master Mrs. Florence Sutcliffe pre-sided. An address of welcome was extended by the Worthy Master of Connicut Grange, Ferdinand Arm-brites.

Report of visits to other granges

Report of visits to other granges was given by the Worthy Master and the lecturer and chaplain made their reports on evangelism.

Daylight Saving led to a discussion, with the Grange in favor of Standard time. It was voted to hold the meetings by that time.

Plans for a May meeting along educational lines were discussed. Prizes will be awarded in an essay contest, and other contests by the boys and girls. The program will be in charge of Mrs. George R. Chase, 2d, and County Agent James E. Knott, Jr. Patents and teachers and school superintendents will be notified by post cards. post cards.

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Recess was declared at 6 o'clock and a chowder supper was served under the direction of Mrs. Frank Jenicek, Mrs. Armbrust, Miss Mitdred Gillis and Mr. Fred Armbrust. The evening session opened at 8 o'clock and a candidate from Jamestown was instructed in the fifth degree.

A unanimous rising vote of thanks was extended to Conanicut Grange for

its hospitality.

The lecturer's hour was made public and the program arranged by by Mrs. Armbrust was very amusing.

Plans are being made by the Wild Rose Troop of Girl Scouts for a play to be given in May. The troop met at the Holy Cross parish house Thursday afternoon where a rehears-al was held.

A dance was given on Friday even-ing at the town hall for the benefit of the Aquidneck Grange building fund. The Aquidneck orchestra furnished music for dancing.

The election of officers of the Par-dise Club was held recently with the Secretary, Mrs. Edward J. Peckham, at her home. The reports were read for the past year, after which the following officers were re-elected:

President—Mrs. Elisha A. Peckham

Vice President-Mrs. Clifton B. Ward Secretary-Mrs. Edward J. Peck-

ham.
Treasurer—Mrs. John Nicholson.
The Program Committee elected
were: Mrs. Lawrence Stedman Peckham, Mrs. Harry E. Peckham, and
Mrs. William Truman Peckham.
The Club plans to hold a birthday
party some time in the near future
with Mrs. William Clarence Peckham.

Invitations will be issued to all who have ever been members of the Club and particularly to the charter mem-

A number of the members of Aquid-nect Grange attended a meeting at the Baptist Parish House Tiverton, on the Haptist Parish House Tiverton, on Monday afternoon. A meeting was held under the auspices of the Home Economic department of the Newport County Farm Bureau, at which Mrs. Grebel of New Jersey, a clothing expert, gave an interesting talk concerning her work.

As Monday was so unpleasant, Tuesday was celebrated as St. George's Day by the students of St. George's School The day was spent at Vaucluse, as is the custom. Some of the boys went on bicycles and other conveyances and others hiked

The Men's Community Club held a lon meeting at Holy Cross parish house Oal on Wednesday evening.

The monthly business meeting of the Holy Cross Guild was held on Wednesday afternoon at the Holy Cross parish house, as was their an-nual election of officers. This was followed by a musical program and refreshments were served. refreshments were served.

Miss Eliza M. Peckham has re-turned to her home after spending the past four months with relatives in Springfield, Worcester and Pitch-burg, Mass.

Misses Winifred and Anna Mulli-gan, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Mulligan, are members of the class of nurses who graduated on Tuesday from the Roosevett Hospital Training School, New York.

Dr. Norman MacLeod will address the members of the Oliphant Reading Club on Saturday afternoon at the Holy Cross Guild House. Members of the Paradise Reading Club and oth-ers have been invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lewis have as as guest Miss Angeline Skinner of Attleboro, Mass.

Mrs. Philip Wilbor, regent of Col. We william Barton Chapter, D. A. R., attended the Congress of the society in Washington, as a delegate. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. Fred White of Newport

There was an alarm from box 432 Sunday afternoon, calling the fire department to the Beach, where a grass fire had caused a boy to pull in the box. No water was put on and the denortment returned immediate. ly, but it was the oreasion for an immense gathering of automobiles.

The Painters' Union will have an open meeting in G. A. R. Hall next Monday evening, at which all painters are urged to be present.

#### PORTSMOUTH

(From our regular correspondent)) Death of Mrs. Frank L. Tallman

Mrs. Frank L. Tallman, who hassbeen in poor health for some time, died recently at bor home at Cozy. Corners after an illness of about two hours. Mrs. Tallman had been about as usual the day before, and had planned to go to Readville, Mass., the following day, when she was taken suddenly ill and died. It is thought that the sudden death of her daughter, Mrs. Quinn, who died about two weeks pigevious, caused a great shock from which she did not recover. She was born December 11, 1858, and was the daughter of the late William and Kannio Tallman. She married: Mrs. Frank L. Tallman, who hass

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Frank L. Tallman, and to them were born five children, Cora (Mrs. Quinn).
Curtis, Walter, Lewis and Norman, all of whom survive her except her daughter, as do two grandchildren. Two brothers, Francis and William. Nicholson Tallman, also survive.

Mrs. Tallman will be greatly missed by her many friends, as she was always willing to lend a hand and do her share of whatever was going on. She was a member of the Christian Church, secretary of the Ladies', Benevolent Society of the Ladies', Benevolent Society of the Ladies', Benevolent Society of the American and officer of Sarah Rebekah. Noble Grand, and a member of the Women's Relief Corps of Newport, and an officer of the Rebekah Lodges.

The funeral was held at the Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday. Rev. Joseph B. Ackley assisted by Pev. William H. Allen officiating. The Women's Relief Corps conducted by the officers and members of the rebekah Lodge was conducted by the officers and members of Oakland Lodge of Odd Fellows. Sarah Rebekah Lodge was conducted by the officers and members of Messra, James Handy, Jethro J. Peckham, Charles Holman, Ralph Freeborn, Emerson Bishop and Jasper C. Mitchell.

The floral tributes were numerous, and beautiful.

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Many farmers are having their-fields plowed by tractors, a number-of these machines being at work on the island.

Miss Alma Chace, daughter of Mrand Mrs. Frank Chace of this town, who has been residing at Fort Pierce, Fla; for the past year and a half, was recently married to Mr. Walter F. Cole of Providence at the home of Rev. Edwin Thompson at Fort. Pierce, Fla. A reception was held, at the bride's home, after which theyoung couple left by motor for Providence and Fortsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, Jr., have moved into the cottage recently, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. William.

Mrs. Ruth Macomber has rented a tenement of Mr. Benjamin F. Pierce, which she will soon occupy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeTerra, Jr., Tiverton, have moved to Sprague.

Mrs. Henry C. Anthony, who has-been seriously ill, is still confined to-her room. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony: had as week-end guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred-erick A. Cooke of Providence.

The regular meeting of Sarah Rebekah Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F., was held on Wednesday evening. The lodge was represented by a float in the parade at the celebration of the 104th anniversary of Odd Fellowship on Thursday evening, as well as the Oakland Lodge from this town.

The Young People's Club held its weekly meeting at St. Paul's parish house, with Allston Clarke presiding. At the business meeting Gardner Clarke was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Ruth Mott. Guests are invited to extend the next meeting. invited to attend the next meeting, at which Mr. William P. Sheffield, Jr., of Newport, will speak.

of Newport, will speak.

News has been received of the death of Mrs. Sophie M. (Allen) Rimmer of Fall River. Mrs. Rimmer! wasborn in this town and resided hereuntil the death of her parents, Robert T. S. and Emily Allen, when she went to Fall River to make her homewith her aunt. Mrs. Rimmer was thirty-two years old. She is survived by two daughters, Elsie A. and Helmen Mr. her husband, Mr. William Rimmer, who is foreman of the printing department for the Algonquin Printing Company; a brother, Mr. Robert T. S. Allen of Newport, and a sister, Mrs. Chester Carr of this town, as well as several cousins.

A "get together" meeting of the

A "get together" meeting of theemployes of the Newport ElectricCorporation was held at Fair Hall on.
Wednesday evening. A chicken salad supper was served, after which
an interesting entertainment was
given, followed by dancing.

The Portsmouth members of Eureka Chapter, No. 19, Order of Eastern Star, have begun their rehearsals for the competitive entertainment which will be given in May.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. H. Sowlehave as guest Mrs. Sowle's siste: Miss Zillah Chase of New Bedford.

The advance guard of the destroyer squadron, which will base on Narragansett Bay, has already arrived in Newport Harbor. This comprises: the 42nd division and includes the Sands, Childs, Brooks, Humphreys, and Paulding. Other vessels are expected in at the week end.



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Some it while an interest of either fiction founded by few writers of either fiction of feether fiction of the first with the sense of the first with the feether first first without many first first without manifestations. Beat known to the general highlic for the romanner, he is known to fix great coterie or history, fishers and nature lovers of the general the game, the fishing, the trees and other flora, the indiana, the ladder of western America. Had he been valued on a rattle ranch, in animing camp, among the indiana or with trappers and, then sent away to school he could hisrails have been more efficient in presenting the charm of the West. As stated above, the sense has the fact that the love of it and the spirit of it were born in him.

#### · CHAPTER 1

A Gentleman of the Range. When Madeline Hammond stepped from the train at El Cajon, New Mexico, it was nearly midnight, and her first impression was of a huge dark space of cool, windy emptiness, strange and slient, stretching away under great blinking white stars.

"Miss, there's no one to meet you,"
said the conductor anxiously.
"I wired my brother," she replied.

"He will be here presently. But, if he should not come-surely I can find a

"There's lodgings to be had, you'll excuse me-this is no place for lady like you to be alone at night. It's a rough little town-mostly Mexicans, miners, cowboys. And they carouse a lot. Besides, the revolucarouse a lot. Besides, the revolu-tion across the border has stirred up some excitement along the line. Miss,

guess it's safe enough, if you..."
"Thank you. I am not in the least afrald."

As the train started to glide away Miss Harmond walked toward the it in the night, dimly lighted station. She catered the empty waiting-room. An oil-lamp gave out a thick yellow light. A telegraph instrument clicked faintly.

Madeline Hammond crossed the walting-room to a window and, holding aside her vell, looked out. At first she could descry only a few dim lights, these blurred in her sight. As her eyes grew accustomed to the darkness she saw a superbly built horse standing near the window. Herond was a bare square. Through a hole in the window-glass came a cool breeze, and on it breathed a sound of struck coarsely upon her ear-a discordant mingling of laughter and shout, and the tramp of boots to the

hard music of a phonograph, "Western revelry," muse "Western revelry," mused Miss Hammond, as she left the window. Now, what to do? I'll walt here Perhaps the station agent will return soon, or Alfred will come for me."

As she sat down to wait she re viewed the causes which accounted for the remarkable situation in which she found herself. That Madeline Hammond should be alone, at a late hour, in a dingy little western railroad statton, was indeed extraordi

The close of her debutante year had been marred by the only unbappy experience of her life-the disgrace of her brother and his leaving home She dated the heginning of a recialr thoughtful habit of mind from that time, and a dissatisfaction with the briffiant life society offered her.

There had been months of unrest of curiously painful wonderment that her position, her wealth, her pop-ularity no longer sufficed. She believed she had lived through the dreams and funcies of a girl to besome a woman of the world. And she had gone on as before, a part of the glittering show, but no longer blind to the truth-that there was nothing in her luxurious life to make it significant. And at last she knew what she needed-to be alone, to broad for long hours, to gaze out on lonely, sllent, darkening stretches, to the stars, to race her sout, to find her

real self. Then it was she had first thought of wisiting the brother who had west in cast his fortune with the cattlemen. As it happened, she had friends who were on the eve of starting for California, and she made a guick decision to travel with them. When she calmir announced her inten. | sold.

tion of going out west her mother had excludined in consternation; and her father, surprised into pathetic memory of the black sheep of the family, had stared at her with glistening eyes. Why, Madeline! You want to see that wild boy!" Then he had reverted to the anger he still felt for his wayward son, and he had for-bilden Madeline to go. Her mother forgot her haughty polse and dignity. Madeline stood her ground, even to reinfinding them that she was twentyfour and her, own infetress. In the

end she had prevalled. and ane mad prevailed.

Madeline had planned to arrive in Ei Cajon on October 3, her brother's birthday, cand she had succeeded. though her arrival occurred at the twenty-fourth hour. "Her strain had been several hours late. Whether or not the message had reached Alfred's not the message mad reached the hands she had no means of telling and hat thing which concerned her now was the fact that she had arrived and he was not there to meet her.

As Madeline sat walting in the yellow gloom she heard the faint; intermittent click of the telegraph instrument, the low hum of wires, the occacional stamp of an Iron shod hoor, and a distant vacant laugh rising above the sounds of the dance. She became



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conscious of a slight quickening of her pulse. Madeline had only a limited knowledge of the West. Like all of her class, she had traveled Europe and had neglected America. She had been astounded at the interminable distance she had traveled, and if there had been anything attractive to look at in all that journey she had passed

A faint sound like the ruttling of thin chains diverted Madeline's at-tention. At first she lungued it was unde by the telegraph wires. Then she heard a step. The door swing wide; a tall man entered, and with blin came the clinking rattle. realized then that the sound came from his spurs.

"Will you please direct me to a hotel?" asked Madeline, rising.

The cowboy removed his sombrero, and the sweep he made with it and the accompanying how, despite their exaggeration, had a kind of rude took two long strides He toward her.

"Lady, are you married?"

In the past Miss Hammond's sense of humor had often helped her to overtook critical exactions natural to her breeding. She kept allence, and she imagined it was just as well that her vell hid her face at the moment. She had been prepared to find cowboys rather striking, and she had been warned not to laugh at them.

This gentleman of the range dellierately reached down and took up her teft hand. Before she recovered from her start of amaze he had stripped off her glove.

"Fine spark, but no wedding ring," he drawled. "Lady, I'm glad to see

you're not married." He released her hand and returned

the glove. "You see, the only hotel in this here town is against boarding matried women. Rad business for hotels to

have married women. Keeps the boys away. You see, this isn't Reno. Then to laughed rather boyishly, and from that, and the way be spatched on his sombrero, Madeline

realized he was half drunk. As she instinctively recoiled she not only gave him a keener glance, but stepped into a position where a better light shone on his face. It was like red bronze, bold, raw, sharp. Like that of all women whose beauty and charm had brought them much before the world, Miss Hammond's Intuition had been developed until she had a delicate and exquisitely sensitive per-ception of the nature of men and of her effect upon them. This crude cowboy, under the influence of drink, had

affronted her; nevertheless, whatever was in his mind, he meant no insult. "I shall be greatly obliged to you if you will show me to the hotel," she

"Lady, you walt here," he replied, slowly, as if his thought did not come swiftly. "Til go fetch the porter."

She thanked him, and as he went out, closing the door, she sat down in considerable reffer. It occurred to her that she should have mentioned her brother's name. Then she fell to wondering what living with such un-couth cowboys had done to Alfred. She alone of her family had ever be-lieved in any latent good in Affred Hammond, and her faith had scarcely survived the two years of slience.

Walting there, she ngain found herself-listening to the moan of the wind through the wires. Then Madeline heard a rapid pattering, low at first and growing louder, which presently she recognized as the galloping of horses. She went to the window, thinking, hoping her brother had arrived. But as the clatter increased to a roar, shadows sped by-lean horses, fiying manes and talls, sombreroed riders, all strange and wild in her sight. Recalling what the conductor had said, she was at some pains to quell her uneasiness, . Then out of the gloom two figures appeared, one iall, the other slight. The cowbby entered, pulling a disheveled lights—that of a priest, a padre, whose mantle had manifestly been arranged by the rude grasp of his captor. Plain it was that the padre was extremely terrified.

Madeline Hammond gazed in bewilderment at the little man, so pale and abaken, and a protest trembted upon her lips; but it was never fittered, for this half-drunken cowboy now appeared to be a cool, ligitmentling devil; and stretching out a long arm, he gresped her and awang her back to the beach.

You stay there!" the ordered. His voice, though neither brutal nor harsh nor cruel, had the unaccount able effect of making her feel powerless to move. No man had ever before addressed her in such a tone. It, was the woman in her that obeyed not the personality of proud Made line Hammond.
The padre lifted his clasped hands

as it supplicating for his life, and began to speak hurriedly in Spanish. began to speak nurriculy in speak.
Madeline did not understand the language. The cowboy pulled out a huge
gun and brandished it in the priest's
face. Then he lowered it, apparently to point it at the priest's feet. There was a red flash, and then a thunder ing report that stunned Madeline. The room filled with smoke and the sinell of powder. When she could see distinctly through the smoke she exporienced a sensation of immeasurable relief that the cowboy had not shot the padre. But he was still waving the gun, and now appeared to be drag his victim toward her. What possibly could be the dranken fool's intention? This must be, this surely was a cowboy trick. Madeline no sooner thought of it than she made certain her brother was introducing her to a Wild West amusement. Sha could scarcely believe it, yet it must he true. Probably he stood just outside the door or window laughing at her embarrassment.

Anger checked her pante. She straightened up with what composure this surprise had left her and started for the door. But the cowhay barred her passage -grasped her arms. Then Madeline divined that her brother could not have any knowledge of this indignity. It was no trick. Polse, dignity, culture — all the acquired habits of character-fiel before the instinct to fight. She was athletic. She fought. She struggled desperately, But he forced her back with hands of iron. She had never known a man

could be so strong.
"What—do you—mean?" she panted. "Dearle, ease up a little on the brille," he replied, gally.

Madeline thought she must he dreaming. She could not think clearly, She not only saw this man, but also felt his powerful presence. And the shaking priest, the haze of blue smoke, the smell of powder-these were not

Then close before her eyes burst another blinding red flash, nt her ears beliewed another report. Unable to stand, Madeline slipped down onto the bench. Her drifting faculties refused clearly to record what franspired during the next few moments; presently, however, as her mind stendled somewhat, she heards though as in a dream, the voice of the padre hurrying over strange words. It ceased, and then the cowhoy's voice stirred her.

"Lady, say SI-SI. Say it-quick!

Say it-Si" From sheer suggestion, a force irresistible at this moment when her will was clamped by paule, she spoke the trord.

"And now, indy—so we can finish this properly—what's your name?" Still obeying mechanically, she fold blu.

He stared for a while, as if the nome had awakened associations in a mind somewhat befogged. He leaned back unsteadily

- demanded. "Madeline Hammond. I am Alfred

Hammond's sister. He put his hand up and brushed at an imaginary comething before his "You're not-Majesty Ham-

mond?" How strange-stranger than any thing that had ever happened to her before-was it to hear that name on the lips of this cowboy! It was a name by which she was familiarly known, though only those nearest and dearest to her had the privilege of using it. And now it revived her

dulled faculties, and by an effort she regained control of herself. "You are Malesty Hammand," and this time he affirmed wonderingly rather than questioned.

Mudeline rose and faced him. 'Yes, I am."

He slaumed his gun back into its holster.

Woll, I reckon we won't go on with

tt, then."
"With what, sir? And why did you force me to say St to this priest? "I reckon that was a way I took



She Fought. She Struggled Desperately.

to show him you'd be willing to get ONI . . You-you! . . " Words

failed her.
This appeared to galvenize the cowboy into action. He grapped the padra
and he dim toward the door current
and threatening, no doubt enjoining
accrecy. Then he pushed him across
the threshold and stood there breath

ing hard and wreatling with himself. "Here wall wall a minute Miss Hammond, he said huskily. "You could fall into worse company than mine—though I reckon you sure think not I'm pretty drunk, but I'm—all right otherwise. Just walt-a min-

"She stood quivering and blazing with wrath, and watched this savage fight , his drunkenness, . Madeline saw the dark, damp, hair lift from his brows as he held it up to the cool

The cowboy turned and began to taik.

"You see—I was pretty drunk," he labored. "There was a fiesta: and a wedding. I do fool things when I'm drunk. I made a fool bet I'd marry. the first girl who came to town. If you hadn't worn that vell—the fellows were joshing me-and Ed Linton was getting married-and everybody always wants to gamble.

I must have been pretty drunk." "Explanations are not necessary," she interrupted. "I am very tired-distressed. The hour is late. Have you the slightest idea what it means to be a gentleman?"

His brouzed face burned a flaming crinison.

"Is my brother here in town tonight?" Madeline went on.

"No. He's at his ranch." "But I wired him."

"lake as not the message is over in his box at the P. O. He'll be in town tomorrow. He's shipping cattle

for Stillwell." "Meanwhile I must go to a hotel;

Will you please-If he heard her last words he showed no evidence of it. A noise outside had attracted his attention, Madeline listened. Low voices of men, the softer liquid tones of a woman, drifted in through the open door. They spoke in Spanish, and the voices grew louder. Then the woman's voice, hurried and broken, rising higher, was eloquent of vain appeal.

The cowboy's demeanor startled Madeline into anticipation of some-thing dreadful. She was not deceived. outside came the sound of a scuille-a muffled shot, a groans the thad of a falling body, a woman's low ery and footsleps padding away in rapid retreat.

Madeline Hanamond leaned weakly back in her seat, cold and sick, and for a moment her ears throbbed to the tramp of the dancers across the way and the rhythm of the cheap music. Then into the open door place flushed a girl's tragic face, lighted by dark eyes and framed by dusky hair, The girl, reached a shu brown hand round the side of the door and held on as if to support herself.

senor-flene!" she exclaimed; and breathless glad recognition made a sudden break in her terror.

"Bonital" The cowboy leaped to her, "Girl! Are you hurt?" "No, senor."

He took hold of her." "I heardsomebody got shot. Was It Danny?" "No, senor."

"Did Damy do the shooting? Tell

"No, senor." "I'm sure glad. I thought Danny was mixed up in that. He had Still-well's money for the boys—I was afraid. . . Say, Boniia, but you'll get in trouble. Who was with you!

"Senor Gene—they Don Carlos raqueros—they quarrel over me. I only dance a teetle, smile a lectle, and they quarrel. I beg they be good -watch out for Sheriff Hawe

and now Sheriff Hawe put me in jall. I so frighten; he try make leetle love to Bonita once, and now he hate me like he hate Senor Gene." "Pat Hawe won't put you in jail, Take my horse and hit the Pelonelllo

trail. Bonila, promise to stay away from El Calon." "Si. Senor." He led her outside. Madeline heard the horse snort and champ his bit.

The cowboy spoke low; only a few words were intelligible—"stirrups . . . wait . . . out of town . . . . mountain . . . trail . . . now

A moment's silence ensued, and was broken by a pounding of hoofs, a pat-tering of gravel. Then Madeline saw a big, dark horse run into the wide space. She caught a glimpse of windswept scarf and hair, a little form low down in the saidle. The horse was outlined in black against the line of dim lights. There was something

wild and aptendid in his flight, Directly the cowhoy appeared again

the doorway. "Miss Hammond, I recken we want to rustle out of here. Been had goings

And there's a train due." She burried into the open air, not daring to look back or to either side. Her guide strode swiftly. She bad almost to run to keep up with him. Suddenly aware that she had been led beyond the line of houses, she

spoke: "Where are you taking me?" "To Florence Kingsley," he replied.

"Who is she?" "I reckon she's your brother's best

friend out here." Madeline kept pace with the cow boy for a few moments longer, and then she stopped. It was as much from necessity to catch her breath as it was from recurring fear. The cowboy, missing her, came back the cowpoy, missing ner, came park the few intervening steps. Then he waited, still sitent, tooming beside her. "It's so dark, so lonely," she fattered, "How do I know , what

warrant can you give me that youthat no harm, will befall me if I go farther?"

None, Miss Hammond, except that I've seen your face."

CHAPTER II

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. Because of that alngular reply Made Hecause of that singular reply. Made, line, found faith, to so jarther, with the cowhoy. But at the moment she result did not think about what he had said. Any anawer to her would have kerved it it had been kind.

As she walked on late the windy darkness; much relieved that he had

answered as he had, reflecting that he answered as to prove his words true, she had jet to prove his words true, she there to starp the desperalaminence of them. There has a restrat of pride that made her feel that she ought to score to think at all shour such a man.

Presently Madeline's guide Lturned off the walk and rapped at a door of a low-roofed house. "Hulto-who's there?" a deep voice

answered. "Gene Stewart," said the cowboy.

"Call Florence "quick!"
Thump of foolsteps followed, a tap on's door, and roles; Madeline heard a woman exclaim: (Genet here when there's a dance in town! Something fared up and shone bright through a window. In another moment there came a patter of soft steps, and the door opened to disclose a woman holding a lamp.
"Gene! Al's not—"

"Al is all right," interrupted the

cowhoy.

Madeline had two sensations then

one of wonder at the note of alarm
and love in the woman's voice, and
the other of unutterable relief to be safe with a friend of her brother's.

"It's Al's sister—came on tonight's train," the cowboy was saying. "I happened to be at the station, and I've fetched her up to you."

Madeline came forward out of the

ghadow.
"Not—not really Majesty Ham-mond!" exclaimed Florence Kingsley. She nearly dropped the lamp, and she looked, astounded beyond belief. "Yes, I am really she," replied Madeline. "My train was late and

for some reason Alfred did not meet me. Mr.-Mr. Stewart saw fit to bring file to you instead of taking me to a hotel." "Oh, I'm so glad to meet you," replied Florence, warmly.

I'm so surprised, I forget my manners. Why, you are white as a sheet. You must be tired. What a long walt you had at the station! If I had known you were coming! Indeed; you are very pale. Are you lil?"

"No. Only I am very tired. Traveling so far by rail is harder than I imagined. I did have rather a long wait after arriving at the station, but I can't say that it was lonely."

Florence Kingsley searched Madeline's face with keen eyes, and then took a long, significant look at the silent Stewart. With that she de-liberately and quietly closed a door lending into another room.

"Miss Hammond, what has happened?" She had towered her voice.
"I do not wish to recall all that has happened," repited Madeline, "I shall tell Alfred, however, that I would inther have met a nostile Apache than F COMPON

"Please don't tell Al that!" cried Florence. Then she grasped Stewart and pulled him close to the light, "Gene, you're drunk!"

"Now, see here, Flo. 1 only-"
"I don't want to know. I'd tell it. Gene, aren't you ever going to learn decency? Aren't you ever going to stop drinking? You'll lose all your friends. Molly and I have pleaded with you, and now you've gone and done-God knows what!"

"What do women want to wear veils for?" he growled. "I'd have known her but for that reil."

"And you wouldn't have insulted her. But you would the next girl who



came along. Gene, you are hopeless. Now, you get out of here and don't ever come back."

"Flo!" he entreated

!I mean it. "I reckon then I'll come back tomorrow and take my medicine," he

repiled. "Don't rou dare!" she cried. Stewart went out and closed the

"Miss Hammond, Fou-you don't know how this hurts me," said Florence, "What you must think of us! It's so unlucky that you should have had this happen right at first. Now, maybe you won't have the heart to stay. Oh, I've known more than one eastern girl to go boine without ever learning what we really are out here. Miss Hammond, Gene Stewart is a flend when he's drunk. All the same I know, whatever he did, he meant no shame to you. Come now, don't think about it again tonight. She took up the lamp and led Made line into a little room, "Won't, you let me help you undreas—can't I do anything for you?"

You are very kind, thank you, but

I can manage," replied Madeline. "Well, then, good night. The sooner I go the sconer you'll rest. Just for-get what happened and think how fine a surprise you're to give your brother tomorrow."

With that she slipped out and softly shut the door.
As Madeline fald her watch on the

As Madeline fall lier watch on the horself shi noticed that the time was past two o'clock. It seemed tong since the had cotten of the train. When aske had furned out the lamp and 'crept wearly into bed she know what it was to be utterly proct. She was to the day more a hase.

When she awakened the room wee bright with suntight, She was rightly and dreamity contemplating the mud-walls of this little room when she remembered where she was and how she had come there.

The part of the state of the st her. She even shut her eyes to try and blot out the recollection. She felt that she had been contaminated.

Presently Madeline Hammond again Presently biadeline Hammond again works to the fact, she had learned the preceding night that, there were emotions to which she had herekofore been a stranger. She marcely remembered when also had found it necessary to control her emotions. There had been no trouble, no excitement, no jumileakontness in her life. It had no unpleasantness in her life. It had been ordered for her-tranquil, luxurious, brilliant, varied, yet always the

Then Madeline heard Florence rap the door and call nottly;

"Miss Hammond. Are you awake?"
"Awake and dressed, Miss Kings-

ley. Presently there were slow, reluctant steps outside the front door, then a pause, and the door opened. Stewart stood burcheaded in the similable. Madelino's giance run over him swift as lightning. But as she saw his face now she did not recognize it. The man's presence roused in her a recolt. Yet something in her, the incompre-hensible side of her nature, thrilled in the look of this spiendid durk-faced

barbarlan. "Mr. Stewart, will you please come tnt" she asked, after that long pause.
"I recken not," he said. The hope-lessness of his tone meant that he knew he was not fit to enter a room will her, and this not care or cared

too much. Madeline went to the door. The mun's face was hard, yet it was sad, too. And it touched her.

"I shall not tell my brother of your -your rudeness to me," she began. It was impossible for her to keep the chill out or her voice, in speak with other than the pride and alootness of her class. Nevertheless, despite her loallying, when she had spoken so far it seemed that kindness and pity followed involuntarily. "I choose to overlook what you did because you were not wholly accountable, and because there must be no trouble between Alfred and you. May I rely on you to keep silence and to seal the lips of that priest? You will spara me further distress, will you not,

please?" His hourse reply was incoherent, but she needed only to see his working face to know his remorse and grati-

tude Madeline went back to her room; and presently Florence came for her, and directly they were sitting at break fast. Madeline Hammond's impression of her brother's friend had to ba reconstructed in the morning light-Slie felt a wholesome, frank, sweet nature. She liked the slow southern drawl. And she was puzzled to know whether Florence Kingsley was pretty or striking or unusual. She had a youthful glow and flush, the clear tan of outdoors, a face that lacked the soft curves and lines of eastern women, and her eyes were light gray, like crystal, steady, almost plercing, and her hair was a beautiful bright waving mass.

A sharp knock on the parlor deor interrupted conversation. sister went to open it. She returned presently and said:

"It's Gene. He's been dawdlin' ou; there on the front porch, and he knocked to let us know Miss Han-

mond's brother is comin'." Florence hurried late the parlor, followed by Madeline. The doo open, and disclosed Stewart sitting on the porch steps. From down the road came a clatter of hoofs. Madeline looked out over Florence's shoulder and saw a cloud of dust approaching and in it she distinguished outlines

and the feeling recalled her girlish love for her brother. What would he he like after long years? Looking out, Madeline saw a bunch of dusty, wiry horses pawing the gravel and lossing lean heads. Her swift glame ran over the Uthe horsemen, trying to pick out the one who was her brother. But she could not Her glance, however, caught the same tough dress and hard aspect that char-

of horses and riders. A warmth spread

over her, a little tingle of gladness,

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#### LIGHT OF WESTERN STARS

Continued from Page 2 acterized the cowboy Slewert. Then one rider threw his relus, leaped from the saddle, and came bounding up the porch steps. Florence met him

at the door.
"Hello, Flo. Where is she?" he called, tagerly. With that he looked over her shoulder to espy Madeline, He actually jumped at her. She hardly know the tall form and the bronzed face, but the warm flash of blue eyes was familiar. As for him, he had no doubt of his sister, it appeared, for with broken welcome he threw his arms around her, then held ber off and looked searchingly at her.

"Well, sister," he began, when Florence turned hurriedly from the door and interrupted him. "Al, I think you'd belter stop the wrangling out there,"

He staved at her, appeared suddenly to hear the loud voices from the street, and then, releasing Madeline,

he said:
"By George! I forgot, Flo. There is a little business to see to. Keep my dater in here, please, and don't be russed up, now

He went out on the porch and called to bis men:

"Shut off your wind, Jack! And you, too, Blaze! I didn't want you fellows to come here. But as you would come, you've got to shut up. This is my business."

Whereupon he turned to Stewart, who was sitting on the fence. "Hello, Stewart!", he said.

It was a greeting; but there was that in the voice which alarmed Madeline.

Stewart leisurely got up and leisurely advanced to the porch.
"Hello, Hammond!" he drawled.
"Drunk again last night?".

"Well, if you want to know, and if it's any of your mix, yes, I was-pretty drunk," replied Stewart. It was a kind of cool speech that

showed the cowboy in control of him-self and master of the situation—not an easy speech to follow up with un-dus Inquisitiveness: There was a short allence.

"D- it, Stewart," said the speaker, presently, "here's the situation: It's all over town that you met my sister insulted her. Gene, you've been on the wrong trail for some time, drinking and all that. You're going to the bad. But Bill thinks, and I think, you're still a mian. We never knew you to He. Now what have you to say for yourself?"

"Nobody is insinuating that I am a Har?" drawled Stewart.

"Well, I'm gind to hear that. You see, Al, I was pretty drunk last night, but not drunk enough to forget the least thing I did. I found Miss Hammond walting alone at the station. She wore a yell, but I knew she was a lady, of course. I imagine, now that I think of it, that Miss Hammond found my gallantry rather startling,

At this point Madeline, answering to unconsidered impulse, cluded Florence

and walked out upon the porch.
"Gentleman," said Madeline, rather breathlessly; and it did not add to her calmness to feel a hot flight in her checks, "I am very new to western ways, but I bluk you are inhoring under a mistake, which, in justice to Mr. Stewari, I want to correct. Indead, he was rather-rather abrupt and strange when he came up to me last night; but as I understand bim now, I can attribute that to his gain lantry. He was somewhat wild said audden and-scottmental in his demand to protect me and it was not clear whether he meant his protection for last night or forever; but I am happy to say he offered me no word that was not honorable. And he saw me safely here to Miss Kingsley's

### CHAPTER III

Sister and Brother. Then Madeline returned to the little parlor with the brother whom she had

bardly recognized. "Majesty!" be exclaimed. "To think of your being here!"

The warmth stole back along her She remember pame had sounded from the lips of this brother who had given it to her. "Affred!".
"Dear old girl," he said, "you

haven't changed at all, except to grow



Dear Old Giri," He Bald.

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loveller. Only you're a woman now, and you've fulfilled the name I gave G-di how sight of you brings back home! It seems a hundred years since I left. I missed you more than all the rest."

Madeline seemed to feel with his every word that she was remembering him. She was so smazed at the change in him that she could not believe her She saw a bronzed, strongjawed, eagle-eyed man, stalwart, su-perb of height, and, like the cowboys, belied, booted, spurred. She had bidbelted, booted, spurred, one had dended and den good by to a disgraced, disinherited, dissolute hoy. Well she remembered the handsome pale face with its weakness and shadows and careless smile, with the ever-present cigarette hanging between the lips. The years had passed, and now she saw blin a man-the West had made him a man. And Madeline Hammond felt a strong, passionnte gladness and gratefulness, and a direct check to her sudden inspired barred of the West.

Majesty, it was good of you to come. I'm all broken up. How did you ever do it? flut never mind that now. Tell me about that brother of mine."

And Madeline told him, and then about their sister Helen. Question after question he fired at her; and she told him of her mother; of Aunt Grace. who had died a year ago; of his old friends, 'married, scattered, vanished. But she did not tell him of his father, for he did not ask.

Quite auddenly the rapid-fire ques-tioning ceased; he choked, was silent a moment, and then burst late tears, it seemed to her that a long, stored-up bitterness was flooding away. It hurt her to see him—hurt her more to hear him. And in the successions for hear him. And in the succeeding few moments she grew closer to him than she had ever been in the past. Had her father and mother done right by him? Her pulse silred with unwonted quickness. She did not speak, but she klased him, which, for her, was an indication of unusual feeling. And when he recovered command over his emolions he made no reference to his breakdown, nor did she But that scene struck deep into Madeline Hammond's heart. Through it she saw what he had lost and gained.

"Alfred, why did you not answer my last letters?" asked Madeline. "I had not heard from you for two years."
"So long? How time files! Well,

things went bad with me about the lastitime! heard from you. I always intended to write some day, but I never did. You remember all about my little ranch, and that for a wille I did well raising stock? I wrote you all that. Majesty, a man makes one-mics anywhere. Perhaps an eastern man in the West can make, if not so many, certainly more bitter ones. At any rate, I made several. There was and the unit of the same of the was a cattleman. Ward by name—he's gone now—and he und I had trouble over cattle. That gave me a back-set. Pat Hawe, the shorth here, has been instrumental in hurting my husiness. He's not so much of a rancher, but he has influence at Santa Fe and El Paso hind Doughes. I made an enemy of him. I never did anything to him. The real reason for his animosity toward me is that he loves Florence. and Florence is going to marry me."
"Aifred!"

"What's the matter, Majesty? Didn't Florence impress you favorably?" he

asked, with a keen giance. "Why—yes, indeed. I like her, But I did not think of her in relation to you—that way, I am greatly surprised. Alfred, is she well born? What con-

nections i" "Florence is just a girl of ordinary people. She was born in Kentucky, was brought up in Texas. My aristocrattle and wealthy family would

"Alfred you are still a Hanmond," said Madeline, with uplifted head.

Alfred laughed. "We won't quar-

rel, Majesty. I remember you, and in spite of your pride you've got a heart, If you stay here a month you'll love Florence Kingsley. I want you to know she's had a great deal to do with straightening me up. . . . Well, to go on with my story. There's Don Carlos, a Mexican rancher, and he's my worst enemy. Don Carlos is a wily Oreaser, he knows the ranges, he has the water, and he is dishonest. So he cutfigured me. And now I am practically rulned. He has not gotten a matter of time, pending lawshits at Santa Fe. At present I have a few hundred cattle running on Stillwell's range, and I am his foreman."
"Foreman" queried Madeline.

"I am simply boss of Stillwell's cow boys, and right glad of my job."

Madeline was conscious of an in-ward burning. It required an effort for her to retain her outward tranquil-

ity.
"Cannot your property be re-claimen?" she asked, "How much do

you owe?"
"Ten thousand dollars would clear me and give me another start. But, Majerty, in this country that's a good deal of money, and I haven't been able to raise it. Stillwell's in worse shape than I am."

Madeline went over to Alfred and put her hands on his shoulders. "We must not be in debt."

He stared at her as if her words had recalled something long forgoiten. Then he smiled.

"How imperious you are! I'd for-gotten just who my beautiful sister really is. Majesty, you're not going to ask me to take money from you?" HI ADI."

"Well, I'll not do it. I never did, even when I was in college, and then

even when I was in conege, and then there wasn't much beyond me."
"Listen, Aifred," she went on, cornestly, "this is entirely different. I had only an allowance then. You had way to know that since I last wrote you I had come into my inheritance from Annt Grace. It was—well, that deesn't matter. Oals, I haven't been able to spend half the income. It's mine, it's not father's money. You wal make me very happy if you'll consent. What is ten thou sand dollars, to me? Sometimes I spend that in a month, I throw money away. If you let me help you it will

be doing me good as well as you. Please, Alfred."

"You always were the best of fellows, Majesty. And if you really care -if you really want to help me I'll be only too glad to accept. It will be fine. Florence will go wild. And that Greaser won't harass me any more. Majesty, pretty soon some titled fellow will be spending your money; I may as well take a little before he gets it

all," he finished, jukingly, "What do you know about niet, spe asked, lightly,
"More than you think. Even if we

are lost out here in the woolly West we get news. Everybody knows about Anglesbury, And that Dago duke who chased you all over Europe, that Lord Castleton has the running now and seems about to win. How about it, Majesty?'

Mudeline detected a bint that sug gested acorn in his gay speech. And deep in lds searching glance she say a flaine. She became thoughtful. She had forgotten Castleton, New York,

society.
"Alfred," she began, seriously, "I don't believe any titled gentleman will ever spend my money, as you elegantly express it."

"I don't care for that, It's you!" the cried, passionately, and he grasped her with a violence that startled her. He was white; his eyes were now like fire. "You are so splendid—so wonderful. People called you the American Beauty, but you're more than that.
You're the American Girl! Majesty, marry no man unless you love him, and love an American. Stay away from Europe long enough to learn to know the men-the real men of your own country."

"Alfred, I'm afraid there are not atways real men and real love for Amer ican girls in international marriages. Alfred, tell me how you came to know about me, 'way out here? You may be assured I was astonished to find that Miss Kingsley knew me as Majesty Hammond."

. "I longine it was a surprise," he replied, with a laugh. "I told Florence about you gave her a picture of you. And, of course, being a woman, she showed the picture and talked. She's in love with you. Then, my dear slater, we do get New York pa-pers out here occasionally, and we can see and read. You may not be aware that you and your society friends are objects of intense interest in the U. S. In general, and the West in particular. The papers are full of you, and perhaps a lot of things you never did Majesty, I must run down to the siding," consulting his watch. "We're loading a shipment of cattle. I'll be back by supper time and bring Still-

well with me. You'll like him."

Madeline went to her room intending to rest awhile, and she fell askep. She was aroused by Florence's knock and call.

"Miss Hammond, your brother has

come lack with Stillwell.

Madeline accompanied Florence to
the porch. Her brother, who was sitting near the door, imped up and said:

"Hello, Majesty!" And as he put his arm around her he turned toward a massive man whose broad, ernggy face began to ripple and wrinkle. "I want to introduce my friend Silliwell to you. Bill, this is my sister, the sister I've so often told you about-Malesty." "Wal, wal, Al, this 's the proudest.

meetla' of my life," replied Stillwell, in a booming voice. He extended a huge hand, "Miss-Miss Majesty, sight of you is as welcome as the rain an the flowers to an old desert cattle-

Madeline greeted blio; and it was all she could do to repress a cry at the way be crunched her hand in a grasp of iron. He was old, white haired, weather-heaten, with long furrows down his cheeks and with gray eyes almost hidden in wrinkles. If he was smiling she functed it a most extraor-dinary smile. The next instant she realized that it had been a smile, for his face appeared to stop rippling, the light died; and suddenly it was like rudely chiseled stone. The quality of hardness she had seen in Stewart was immeasurably intensified in this old man's face.

"Miss Majesty, it's plumb humiliatin" to all of us thet we wasn't on hand to

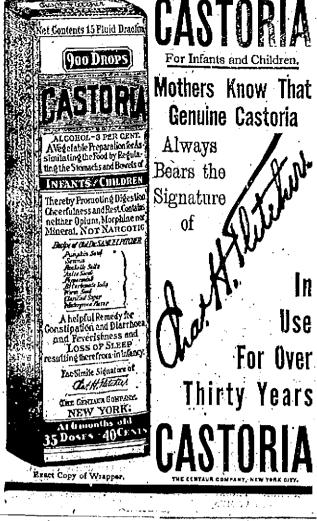


'Miss Majesty, It's Plumb Humilistin' To All of Us That We Wasn't on Hand to Meet You," Stillwell Said.

meet you." Stillwell said. "I'm sure afraid it was a bit unpleasant fer you last night at the station. Wal, I'm some glad to tell you that there's no man in these parts except your brother thet I'd as ther hev met you as Gene Stewart."

"Indeed?"

"Yes, an' thet's takin' into consideration Gene's weakness, too. I'm alius fond of sayin' of myself that I'm the last of the old cattlemen. Wal. Stewart's not a native westerner, but he's toy pick of the last of the cowboys Sure, he's young but he's the last of the old style—the picturesque—an'



chivalrous, too. I make hold to say, one expected to see him jump like Miss Majesty, as well as the old hard-lightin, as he does when he's ried ridin kind. Folks are down on Stew-sudden. But he was calm an he was art. An' I'm only suyin' a good word for him because he is down, an' mebbe last night he might her scared you, you held fresh from the East,"

Madeline liked the old fellow for his loyalty to the cowboy he evidently cared for; but as there did not seem anything for her to say, she remained

"Misa Majesty, I reckon, bein' as you're in the West now, that you must take things as they come, and mind each thing a little less than the one hefore. If we old fellers hedn't been thet way we'd never her lasted.

"Last night wasn't particular had, ratin' with some other nights lately, There wasn't much doin'. But I had a hard knock. Yesterday when we started to with a bunch of cattle I sent one of my cowboys, Dauny Mains, along ahead, carryin' money I hed to pay of brids an' my bills, an' I wanted that money to get in town before dark. Wal, Danny was held up. I don't distrust the lnd. There's been strange Greasers in town laiely, an' mebbe they knew about the money

"Wal, when I arrived with the cat tle I was some put to it to make ends nieet. An' today i wasn't in no angelic humor. When I hed my business all done I went around pokin my nose heah an there, tryin to get scent of thet money. An' I happened in at a hall we her thet does duty fer fall an' hospital an' election-post an' what not. Wal, just then it was doin duty as a hospital. Last night was flests ery week or so-an' one Greaser who had been had burt was layin' in the hall, where he hed been tetched from

the station. "The hall was full of cowboys, ranchers, Grensers, miners, an' town folks, along with some strangers. I was about to get started up this way when Pat Hawe come in.

"Pat, he's the sheriff. He come into the hall, an' he was roarin' about things. He was goin' to arrest Danny Mains on sight. Wal, I jest polite-like told Pat thet the money was mine an' he acceler get riled about it. An' if I wanted to trail the thier I reckon

"Then he cooled down a bit an' was arkin' questions about the wounded Greater when Gene Stewart comes in. Whenever Pat an' Gene come together it reminds de of the early days back in the 'seventies. Jest naturally ev-ergledy shut up. Fer Pat hates Gene. an' I reckon Gene aln't very sweet or

"Hello Stewart! You're the feller I'm lookin' fer, said Pat. There was some queer goings on last night thet you know somethin' about. Danny Mains robbed-Stillwell's money gone--your roan horse gone-an' this Greater gone, too. Now, seein' that you was up late an' provile round the station where this Greaser was found, it sin't onreasonable to think you might know how he got plugged -- | P | | 12 7º

"Stewart laughed kind of cold, an' he rolled a cigarette, all the time eyeln' Fat, an then he said if he'd plugged the Greaser it'd never hey been sich a bunglin' job.
"I can arrest you on suspicion,

Stewart, but before I go that far I want some evidence. I want to find out what's become of your hoss. You've never lent blm since you hed blm, an' there sin't enough raiders across the border to steal him from you. It's got a queer look-thet hoss bein gone. You was drunk last night?

"Stewart never batted an eye.
"You met some woman on Number Eight, didn't you? shouted Hawe.
"I met a lady,' replied Stewart,
quiet an' menacin' like,
"You met Al Hammond's sister, an'

you took her up to Kingsley's. An' cinch this, my cowboy cavaller, I'm goin' up there an' ask this grand dame some questions, an' if she's as closemouthed as you are I'll arrest her!'

thinkin' bard. Presently, he said:

"Pat, thet's a fool idee, an if you do the trick it'll hart you all the rest of your life. There's absolutely no reason to frighten Miss Hammond. trylo' to arrest her would be such a d-d outrage as won't be stood for in El Cajon: If you're sore on me send me to jail. I'll go. If you want to burt Al Hammond, go an' do it some man kind of way. Don't take your spite out on us by insultin' a lady who has come hyar to hey a little visit. We're bad enough without bein' lowdown as Greasers.

"It was a long talk for Gene, an' I was as surprised as the rest of the fellers. It was plain to me an' others who spake of it afterward that Pai Hawe hed forgotten the law an' the officer in the man an' bis hate.
"'I'm a goin', an' I'm a goin' right

now!' he shouted.

"Stewart seemed kind of chokin', an' he seemed to hev been bewildered by the idee of Hawe's confrontin' you. "An' finally he burst out: 'But. man, think who it is! It's Miss Ram-mond! If you seen her, even if you was locoed or drunk, you—you couldn't

"'Couldn't I? Wal, I'll show you d-n quick. What do I care who she is? Them swell eastern women-I've heard of them. They're not so much. This Hammend woman-

"Suddenly Hawe shut up, an' with his red mug turnin green he went for bis gun."

Stillwell paused in his narrative to get bresili, and he wiped his moist brow. And now his face began to lose its cragginess. It changed, it softened, it rippled and wrinkled, and all that strange mobility focused and shone in

a wonderful smile, "An' then, Miss Majesty, then there was somethin' happened. Stewart took Pat's gun away from him and throwed it on the floor. An' what followed was ton the hoor. An what followed was beautiful. Sure it was the beautiful-est sight I ever seen. Only it was over so soon! A little white after, when the doctor came, he had another patient besides the wounded Greaser, an he said that this new one would require about four months to be up an' around cheerful-like again. An' Gene Stewart hed hit the trail for the bar-

### (To be continued)

PRINCIPLE IS NOT "MODERN"

Ancient Egyptians Built Charlot Wheels That Correspond to Those Used on Auton Today,

Speculation on how many ages ago the basic principle of the modern motor car wheel was discovered has been re-pred sharply by the flut of several richly ornamented charlot wheels in

Luxor, Egypt,
Expert scrutiny shows remarkably "modern" untions in these wheels which carried Expot's Pharaobs thirtyfive hundred years ago. The hub, spoke and rim construction have graceful outlines combined with great strength. wheels were used on charlots probably designed for war, which involved driving at top speed across rough ground and often crashing into other war chariots.

One way the motive engineers of the ancient king's time gained the desired wheel strength was by using an excessively long bub with a rmall districter to reduce friction and help in holding alignment. Motor car hubs today make use of the principle. In the bronze used for spindles and bearings the Egyptians had a bearing metal modern workers never have been able to duplicate. The tempering of bronze to marvelous hardness is regarded as a feet wit.

King within lead memeture proofs,"

tes, but their construction hardly would be tentiful for the average modern netorics. Several of the richly ornan ented election valueds unearthed "Gene Slewart turned white, I fer had tires of gold,-Kansas City Star.

## Special Bargains:

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#### DOES AWAY WITH THE HISS

Recent Invention Also Captures Harmonics Which Hitherto Have Been Completely Lost.

A new use has been found for the remarkable device which photographs. sound on motion picture film and thenreproduces the sound from the film. C. A. Hoxe, the inventor, has now derised a pickup or interophone, using. the principle of the pallophotophone reproducer.

The interophone is the link between, the artist or instrument in the studio. and the electrical circuit; it converts or transforms the variations of tone into corresponding variations of current. Microphones now in general useare constructed on the principle of the telephone transmitter in which the compression or expansion of granularcarbon affects the electric current.
In the pallophotophone pickup

very sensitive displanges is set vibrat-ing by sound. The movement of the displicagin is communicated to a mirsquare. A strong light strikes the dancing mirror, which reflects the light beam at a sensitive light cell. The variation in the beam of light, caused by the vibration of the mirror, varies the effect on the light cell and thus produces a corresponding variation in the electric circuit. Amplification is then obtained in the ordinary way by:

The new nickup eliminates, the hise which accompanies the use of the ordiresponds more readily and accurately to sound waves, capturing harmentes which would ordinarily be lost. ∸Bxchange,

Jujutau in High School. The Japanese high school at Konolulu has opraed a class in jujutsu for This step was taken because of the many recent reports of assaults upon women and girls in Honolulu, and from the results that are being obtained from the instruction in the Nipponese art of personal protection it is believed that the next person who attempts to molest a Japanese girl, will meet with a surprise.

Graduates from the course are ex-

pected to be able to defend themselves against the attacks of much larger persons and to inflict swift counter-punlshment.

The small stature of the Japanese girls is expected to be no handleap. More than forty girls are enrolled in ,

### Freak "Bridge" Hands.

It. T. Webster, the cartoonist, recently made a picture of what he considered to be an unbeatable bridge hand—sleven spaces, from the ace to the four-spot, with the ace of hearts and the ace of diamonds. He captioned it: "And the bid is seven spades dou-bled and redoubled."

Wilbur C, Whitehead, managing director of the Knickerbocker Whist club, took one look at the picture, "Suppose," he said, "one of his orponents has no hearts and the other no. diamonds. One leads a diamond, the other ruffs it and returns a heart, which is trumped. It is a good idea, to remember that when you hold a-freak hand, someone else has one, too." -Washington Star.

Big Task for Britain, The war debt Great Britain agrees: to pay the United States is \$4,604,128,...

That is \$317,005,198 more than value of all the gold and silver in the United States in 3922-34,287,122,287,

eays 'Capper's Weekly. It is \$2,502,228,085 more than the-

value of last year's corn crop in the United States-\$1,802,900,000.

It is \$8,411,128,085 greater than the value of last year's cotton crop in the United States \$1,102,481,000.

It is \$2,951,839,485 greater than the value of last year's coal production in.

the United States—\$1,851,228,600.
It is \$3,503,501,803 greater than the total value of last year's South African diamond production—\$1,040,826,272.

### Reverses Sounds.

A. curious instrument has recently been invented capable of reversing: the sounds of a word or a sentence. A arest plane wire, carried on twospeak, passes between the poles of a ... amail electromagnet, so connected with a telephone transmitter that aboken words are magnetically recorded on the moving wire and reproduced in a receiving instrument. When the motion of the wire is direct, the words are heard as in ordinary conversation, but if the motion is reversed, the sounds come to the ear in reverse order, like words spelled backwards.

### Making Iron Valuable.

Raw materials become more valu-able as they go through manufacturing processes. Pig iron worth a few dollars a top, when made into plane wire is worth \$50,000, and into helr-springs, \$500,000 a ton.

### Handy Little Article.

They are thoroughly up-to-date out in the great wild and woolly. At any rate, we read in a western exchanget.
"Platol showers for prospective brides are the intest thing in California."-Boston Transcript.

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House l'elephone Saturday, April 28, 1923

Bribes have been uncarthed in Chicago amounting to over two million dollars that have been given out by violators of the Volstead act to enable them to carry on business. The Government Prohibition agents have evidently reaped a rich harvest in that city. It is pretty evident that Chicago has not been a Sahara in these past three years.

They are still filling up the city dumps around Boston with "fireproof" coal. If they get short up there, Newport could help out the supply. In Chelsea a few days the coal inspector seized ten tons in one yard, which was said to prove 70 per cent. shale. We are strongly of the opinion that not a little of the stuff sold in Newport for coal would measure similar to the Chelsea brand. -

Winter has barely skipped out and already they are sighing over hot weather. Last week Friday it began. The Boston papers told us that that was the hottest April-20 since 1915. After this long, hard winter the denizens of that burgh ought to have sent forth a pacon of joy that Old Sol has come back in all his pristine vigor. Newport has had some truly beautiful weather. Take it the year round but few places in Yankee land ean beat Newport for all the year round salubrious climate.

Ford says he is not broke yet. He has a little matter of a couple hundred millions on deposit just now subject to call, and if he should not find that sufficient for daily needs he could , probably call in a couple hundred millions more from his sub agencies. On the whole, it does not look as though the great flivver maker would go bankrupt for lack of ready cash right off. If Ford should conclude to run for President, with his wife's permission, he would have a use for his spare cash.

John Bull wants no interference with his morning "toddy." | Some member of the British House of Comanons was during enough to introduce a prohibition bill and it was thrown out bodily, by a vote of 236 to 14. The crowd, too, looked on with indirference, knowing that but few members took the bill seriously. Most of those who took the trouble to even speak against the bill declared that it was an unwarranted interference with the freedom of the individual. The American prohibition law was criticized without limit. It is safe to say that England will not go dry this

New Hampshire has followed Mas-:sachusets and put a ban on "fireproof" coal. The rest of New England should follow suit. The bill gives authority to state and local boards of trade and sealers of weights and measures to inspect all coal coming into the state and to condemn and confiscate all coal unfit for ordinary use. Dealers are prohibited from selling coal with any foreign substance which impairs the quality. Fines from \$100 to \$1000 and imprisonment from one month to one year are provided. Inspectors are ordered to seize and destroy all coal not up to standard.

It is time such a law was made to apply to every New England state.

gins. Don't forget to put your watch. as follows: Senate: Dry Republione hour when you go to bed tonight. You will get ! up one hour earlier tomorrow morning. You will keep on doing so until September 30. Massachusetts has state wide daylight saving, as also does New York on the other side of us; but New Hampshire and Connecticut, as states, spurn it; many of the large cities in both states have adopted it. While it is not a state law in Rhode Island, probably ninety per cent, of the people of the state are living under the law, for every city and large town has adopted the plan and

The agitation on the part of certain politicians, as well as on the part of the labor leaders for 48 hours legal working time is very determined. When this is obtained, then the next anove is for 44 hours. In fact, the 44 hour week is increasing with great napidity regardless of any state of national laws on the subject. There ære more 44 hour week establishments today than there were 48 hour weeks five years ago. When the 44 hour law becomes universal, then the labor leaders must agitate for still shorter hours, otherwise their job is done. Even now the agitation is on in the mining regions for six hours a day and for five days a week. And the public pays the bills. Everybody knows and can appreciate the enormous increase in the cost of the necessaries of life in the last ten years, largely, in fact almost wholly, caused by increased cost of production which is dependent on the price of labor, but this is not a circumstance to what may be expected in the not far distant future.

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Next September the people of Caltfornia will celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the discovery of golu in that state. Elaborate preparations are already under way in San Francisco and in many other parts of the state to have a celebration that shal: fittingly recognize so important an event in the world's history. Ex-United States Senator Phelen is at the head of the general committee, and a big time is assured. One of the features will be the arrival of the pony express from across the continent in imitation of that popular mail carrier of the 60s. Perhaps they will reproduce for the occasion Bulfalo Bill, who was among the first and most during of all the riders over that perilous

Seventy-five years ago next Pebruary the Ship Audley Clarke, with seventy Newporters on board, left this port for the then almost unknown region of gold. The departure of so many from one city was a very important event in the city's history, and we would respectfully suggest, that in connection with the California celebration, this city make some observance of that event. James M. K. Southwick, the last of the Audley Glarke's complement of seventy, Newporters, died January 22, 1912, ... He returned from the gold diggings among the first and was for many years a prominent business man of Newport Many of the ship's company never return-ed. Some died carly. Others settled in California and became prominent men of the new state. The descendants of many of them still reside on the Pacific coast.

#### REGION PROLIFIC WITH GREAT MEN

The Mercury of May 31, 1873, contains the following notice of great men born in a country region in the Granite State: "Within a territory of about eight square miles in New Hampshire, north of Concord, a region entirely rural, and of sparse population, were born the illustri-ous Daniel Webster and his equally illustrious brother, Ezekiel; William Pitt Fessenden, United States Sena-tor, Secretary of the Treasury, one of the principal men of the country; General John A. Dix, soldier and statesman, one of the earliest generals of the Civil War, author of the command 'If any one attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot', Governor of the state of New York; Rev. Samuel C. Bartlett, President of Dartmouth College; Hon. William H. Bartlett, Judge of the New Hampshire Supreme Court; Hon. E. A. Straw, Governor of New Hampshire; General Walter Harriman, ex-Governor and Colonel of the 11th N. H. Regiment in the Civil War; Moses Farmer, electrician, originator of the Boston Fire Alarm system; Messrs. Nathaniel and Charles G. Green, editors and proprietors of the Boston Post; N. G. Ordway, Sergeant-attives; Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase of the United States Supreme Court, and Acting Chief Justice Clifford of the same Court." (This would seem to be enough great men for one small

the same Court." (This would seem to be enough great men for one small region.)

Mow THE NEXT CONGRESS.

STANDS ON THE RUM QUESTION

The status of the next Congress, which comes in on December 3, next, on the prohibition question is being anxiously looked into by both "wets" on the prohibition question is being anxiously looked into by both "wets" on the prohibition question is being anxiously looked into by both "wets" of the Mental and "drys." From the best information obtainable, it will divide about as follows: Senate: Dry Republicans 16, Democrats 26; Total Drys 57, Wet Republicans 16, Democrats 27, Democrats 28; Total Put 57, Democrats 29, Dry majority over all, 18. In the House, Drys 245, Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. In the House, Drys 245, Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of all 18. Wets 164, Deublid 33, Dry majority of a re relaxed as "Wets". The same was all dry, New Hampshire one dry and one wet, Vermont all dry, New Hampshire one dry and one wet, Vermont all dry, Massachusetts and Connecticut in the senate Major and very and one wet, Vermont all dry, Massachusetts and connecticut in the senate of Mary and one wet, Vermont all dry, Massachusetts and connecticut in the senate of Mary and one wet, Vermont all dry, Massachusetts and Connecticut in the senate of Mary and one wet, Vermont all dry, Massachusetts and Connecticut in the senate of Mary and one wet, Vermont all dry, Massachusetts is deependent of the Wets very and the deal of t setts 5 dry and 1 wet, Conecticut all wet. From this condition it does not look as though the thirsty need look for much of a shower for the next two years. By that time prohibition will be an old story.

## GENERAL ASSEMBLY

In spite of the willingness of the Republicans to comply with the Democratic demands, in the interests of welfare of the state, the latter organization still continues its policy of filibustering in the senate, with apparently no other object in view than that of seeing how far they can go. Senators Sherman and Sanderson have announced that they have conceded everything possible in order to facilitate the transaction of business, but if the Democrats now persist in holding up the appropriation bill they may do so. It is said that there is a division in the Democratic ranks as to the desirability of continuing the outrageous filibuster.

DESTRUCTION OF THE OCEAN HOUSE

(Mercury, August 9, 1845)

and two o'clock in the cook house.

We are grieved to report the total destruction by fire on Sunday afternoon last, of the extensive and valuable establishment on the Hill, known as the Ocean House, and we are pained to add that it was attended by the loss of life of Samuel Fowler Gardner, Esq., one of our most enterprising and valuable citizens.

The fire commenced between one The fire commenced between one

flames soon spread in every direction.

It was soon evident that no human power could avail in saving the building. While several citizens were ening. While several citizens were employed in removing the furniture from the upper part of the wing, a famentable accident occurred. A part of the building fell in and buried in the ruins Samuel Fowler Gardner, Esq. whose remains were found and recognized a few hours after. Mr. George Burroughs was considerably injured by falling with a ladder, and Mr. Robert Coggeshall by jumping from a window. In less than three hours after the fire commenced, the immense pile was entirely consumed. There

after the fire commenced, the immense pile was entirely consumed. There were between 300 and 400 guests in the house at the time.

The sudden and melancholy death of Samuel Fowler Gardner, Esq., has cast a gloom over, our community. He was one of our most active and dilligent business men. He was at the time of his death president of the Bank of Rhode Island. His funeral took place Tuesday, on which occasionall the stores on Thames street were-closed in token of respect to his memory.

THE OCEAN HOUSE -(Mercury, March 21, 1816)

ary, at a magazine wheel

This, house, like, "the Phenix from its ashes" has aprung again into existence, and our summer visitors, who may recollect the spot on which it stood, only as a pile of smoldering ashes, will be gratified if not delighted to learn that during the nast winter ashes, will be gratified if not deligated to learn that during the past winter it has been rebuilt, not only in a more substantial manner, but that it will far surpass the former edifice both in size and beauty.

The buildings are now in a rapid state of completion, and have so far progressed that we understand Mr. Weaver, the enterprising landlord, has already moved in with his family.

OCEAN HOUSE IN RUINS (Mercury, September 10, 1898)

The historic Ocean House is a thing

The historic Ocean House is a thing of the past. The old wooden structure was totally destroyed by fire yesterday (Friday) afternoon, making the second time the building on the same site has been overcome by the devouring flames. That there was no loss or life in the fire yesterday was due to the fact that the fire broke out in the daytime and that there were but few people in the building. Shortly after two o'clock in the afternoon an alarm was rung in from box 53, quickly followed by a second, and then a general alarm. The fire spread like lightning and it was evident from the start that the building was doomed.

The origin of the fire cannot yet be

The origin of the fire cannot yet be definitely stated, but it is pretty certain that it started in one of the

tain that it started in one of the rooms on the top floor.

Thursday night there were about forty persons registered in the house. Insurance to the amount of \$60,000 had been carried on the building and contents, but the policies had been allowed to lapse, so that at the present time there was very little insurance in force.

force.
Although it is not known that there was any loss of life, at last accounts two men were unaccounted for, though the seene two men were unaccounted for, though in the immense crowd on the scene they might have escaped notice. One employe is said to have gone to his room on the third floor in an intoxi-cated condition, and the fire is sup-posed to have had its origin in his

The Ocean House was a large four-story wooden building, and the fire once under way had small difficulty in completing the work of its total de-molition. As we go to press the fire was still burning and will be a total

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## Deaths.

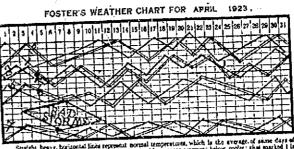
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In this city, ?ith inst., Anna J., daughter of Frank and Mary Walpole Winthrop. arop. In this city, 25th inst., David Goggin, on of the late David and the late Cathson of the late Dates and ethic Goggin. In this city, 25th Inst., suddenly, Sarah, wife of Louis Andriesse. In this city, suddenly, April 25th, Da-vid C. Simmons of Middletown, R. I., in vid C. Simmons of Middletown, R. 1, 11, 111, 1818. Sith year.
In this city, 26th inst., Harry G., 2011 of liarry C. and Alice C. Christian, in his 34th year.
In East Greenwich, 20th inst., 20th deatly, John Frieberg, formerly of this city, aged John Friederg, tormerly of this City, aged 8 years.

At Jamestown, R. I., April 23d, Samuel D. Reynolds, in his 37th year.

In Portsmouth, R. I., 22d inst., Joseph M. Silvita, in his 48th year.

In-Fall River, April 21st, Mrs. Sophia, M. Rimmer, (nee Allen), wife of Wm. M. Rimmer and daughter of the late Robert T. S. and the late Emily Allen, aged 13 years.

## FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN



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BLOCK ISLAND

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(From our regular correspondent)

Record Crowd Attends Minstrels

Three hundred and forty-seven peo-

Prepared by U. S. Bureau of blarkets and Crop Esilmates

Fruit and Vegetables: Buppiles of potatoes have increment during the week but prices have increment during the week but prices have not changed materially as Maine orderings are decreasing. Closing prices for the week are [2,49-32.0] per cut, on actived No. 1 Green Mountain, and \$130-53.5 per 100 iba, on Sacked No. 1 Spaulding Ruse. The old enthange scanonia over and supplies pf old onlows and apples are failing off. New cabbage ofterlogs: are much, heavier and the market has gradually weakened in spite of a most-crite demand, choing prices for the week being \$1.00-15.00 per barrel crate according to quality, on South Carolina Wakefeld. Cauliflower, lettuce, article change of the market is in a firm position on these producty. Florida celorf and ipurate arrivals are heavy but much stock of both committees is of ordinary quality and moving alowly. Good tomatoes are in demand and selling at \$3.25-\$3.59 for 130 size six basket carriers, but with much ordinary stock sellling down to \$1.75-\$2.50 per carrier. Norfolk spinach is in heavy supply and the market has declined to a ringe of \$3.00-\$3.00 per bbl., according to quality. Native: Buthouse cucumbers are firm and selling higher than a week ago; Parenips are sites highest has a seek ago; Parenips are sites highest prices ranging from H.75-\$2.25 with a few as high as 1740 per box. Ather commodities are not materially cohanged in prices, boxes of A 2½-\$1.514wing soid at \$150.55.00 with a few at \$1.25.51.50 per carrier, boxes of A 2½-\$1.514wing soid at \$150.55.00 with a few. at \$1.25.51.50 per carrier is really included and really cohanged in prices, boxes of A 2½-\$1.514wing soid at \$150.55.00 with a few. at \$1.25.51.50 per carriers are noting a real price. Power of the prices of the prices of the second prices are not materially cohanged in prices. From \$2.75 per box. Ather commodities are not materially account and stage, boxes of the second stage with both and account and stage. From \$2.75 per box. Ather com

Lester Littlefield, Millard Mitchell, Frank Ashworth, Merton Mott and Lester Littlefield, 2d, rendered vocaj solos, each having to respond to two encores and a final chorus by the entire circle. entire circle.

Melvin Rose sang two ballads, each of which necessitated several encores.

Three hundred and forty-seven people packed, jammed or wedged themselves into Mohegan Hall last Monday evening and witnessed what is said to have been one of the funniest and most enjoyable shows ever pulled off behind the Mohegan footlights.

The opening chorus started promptly at 8 p. m., but as early as 6.45 p. m. seven rows of seats were completely filled and at 7.20 nearly every seat in the house was taken and an auto truck and ten strikers was immediately pressed into service and ex-The Highbinders Club held their nanual election of officers last Saturday night in Mitchell's Hall. At the conclusion of the election a Scoten entertainment was given under the direction of Richard Dodge. The Kilte Entertainers included Loyal Willis, Sim Willis, Richard Dodge, Harola Mott and Bill Kelsey.

Captain William F. Hooper of the Green Hill Coast Guard Station skipped over to the Island-last Saturday night bent upon attending the Minstrel Show on Monday night. Bill took in the show and according auto truck and ten strikers was immediately pressed into service and extra chairs and benches from the church brought in. At 7.45 over 75 people, many of whom arrived in automobiles from distant parts of the town were turned from the door, as there was not even standing room available. At this time nearly 50 men were packed in the narrow aisle behind the rear curtain of the stage. The success of the show was due to the loyalty of each and every mento latest reports is still laughing.

The ladies of the First Baptist Church held a very successful sale of fancy articles in the chapel on last Thursday afternoon.

The Sunshine League of the Center The Sunshine heague of the contact Mothedist Church gave a surprise party to Victor Haire in honor of his birthday last Wednesday evening. The social was held at the Parsonage and followed the executive session of the

The success of the show was due to the loyalty of each and every member of the cast. They had the pep and knew their lines and songs and they individually and collectively "put' 'em 'ove'" with a crash. The musical numbers, solos and choruses, were the very best ever heard in the hall by a male ensemble. The answer, is "Trained by Mrs. Hope Rose."

Mrs. Helene Millikin presided at the pinuo and her spirited jügging of the ivories put an extra kick into every warble.

A hanjo and mandolin quartette,

off the market as the shippors' prices are higher than the buyers' ideas of value. There has been a fair domaind for exclinary firsts which could be bought around 62.23% but asking prices as a rule were higher than that figure. Extras 13.13%; extra firsts 10%-31c, firsts 12.29c, seconds 15%-37c. Storinge packed firsts 11.31%; aborage packed extra firsts 21.31%; nearby hennerys 11.34c; fancy, browns up to 35c. A group of clergymen who have seen service as war chaplains or who are now connected with military or ganizations, organized the Chaplains'

BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

For Week Ending April 21, 1923.

Prepared by U. S. Bureau of Markets

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conference of the First Corps area at the State House, Boston. The intent of this is a permanent fellowship that will exert its influence, both in and out of the pulpit, in support of the citizens' military training camps. The Massachusetts department of public utilities took issue with the in-

terstate commerce commission, and went on record flatly against the reduction in passenger fares recentlocal department holds that the News England roads are in such a weak position fluoricially that a reduction in fores would be a great handleap. Verious railroads have already gone to the courts to overturn the I. C. C. ruling so that the difference of opinion between it and the Massachusetts body will probably not be settled until the courts have decided the other cases.

Overruling the contentions of the New York, New Haven and Hariford Raifroad Company that all its em-playees' liability act, E. T. Bucking ham, compensation under the Con-necticut compensation act to Lissie Green, widow of Robert Green of Bridgeport, who was killed by a train In the Bridgeport, Ct., freight yards May 11, 1923. Commissioner Buckingham, in awarding compensation to the willow at the rate of \$15.47 a week for 312 weeks, arged that the New Haven railroad follow, the example of the Pennsylvania railroad in accepting the state compensation laws rather than the federal law, based on interstate commerce plans.

Here's a Boston doclor with a great name and many distinctions in the medical profession who says that sick-, ness is a disgrace; that everybody ill should be ashamed of themselves; that is is possible for each and every one of us to live out our natural lives 100 per cent well, both mentally and physically. But Dr. John P. Suther-land, dean of the Boston University School of Medicine for 23 years, himself in his 70th year, who has written on medical subjects, lectured and practiced medicine for more than twoscore years, and who now works at whirlwind speed a matter of 16 to 18 bours a day, always, he declares, is occurs a may, always, he, declares, fit as a fidile, asserts that there should be nothing whatever startling to any one about keeping well permanently. The servet of long life and of a healthy life is a strict and absorbed adherence to these foods which lutely adherence to those foods which nature intended for human consumption, and those foods only, an adequate amount of exercise and enough sleep to fill requirements.

An appeal has been granted State's Attorney Alling of New Haven couty, Ct., by Judge Webb from his own decision, in which the demarrer of counsel for Ernest Schleifer, labor leader, was sustained. Mr. Alling will ask the General Assembly to consider a bill which will meet conditions outlined by Judge Webb In his decision, to the effect that inflammatory speech to incite violence such as was alleged against Schleifer, cannot be punished in that state because there is no law to fit the case.

Duties of Executive Position. If you are fortunate enough to reach an executive position, keep in minds that a great executive is a person who never does anything he can have done by any one else, but who nevertheless always keeps busy, not necessarily with hands and feet, but with his thoughts .- Henry L. Doherty.

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Block Island, Rhode Island



don, was recently appointed a regent of the Smithsonian institution in

## U.S. IS WHITE MAN'S COUNTRY, TAFT IS TOLD

Lawyer Warns Race Problem Is Growing, in Argument Before Court.

Washington.-The allen land cases brought from California and Washing-ton, four in number, lavolving the constitutionality of laws of those states which prohibit allens who are not eligible to citizenship from leasing or owning real estate were reported for argument in the Supreme Court.

Fownes Marshall, counsel for those challenging the laws contended the legislation was invalid in that it constituted an unconstitutional discrimination against persons on ac count of their color and race and violated the fourteenth amendment.

After he had completed his argument, Attorney General Webb of California began to present a reply prépared along legal lines, but a aeries of questions from Chief Justice Taft and other members of the court, led him into a discussion of political phases of the Japanese question on the Pacific coast.

"What we want to know," the chief Justice interjected, "Is what the Japa-nese are doing to which you take ob-

"The white people refuse to assimilate with the Japanese," Mr. Webb re-plied, "and as the Japanese line advances we retreat, and we do not like

to retreat.
"We had one race problem which was settled by the Civil War," con-tinued Mr. Webb. "There is another growing up now on the Pacific Coast that is more threatening. We have aiready lost the Philippines. The Japanese dominate there now. We believe this government is a white mian's government. I will not stop now ito debate the wisdom of the settlement of the negro problem following the war. Had Lincoln lived, the outcome might have been different. Wo ling our agricultural lands through lease and cropping contracts, because we want to live in California."

#### WORLD'S NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM

dent of the United Mine Workers of visited London to meet British mine leaders. A move toward international miners' organization was

PARIS.—It was reported here that Turkey was mobilizing infantry and artillery near the border of French

LAUSANNE .-- Turke predict quick peace unless France is aggressive. DES MOINES.—The two cent gaso-line tax bill passed by the lowa Legislature just before adjournment was vetoed by Governor Kendall.

NEW YORK. — Citrben, "French

NEW YORK. - Citrben, "French Henry Ford," to build factory here. ROME,—Ovations to Fascisti mark Rome's 2676th anniversary.

LONDON,—American Women's Club in London buys \$1,000,000 home. LAUSANNE.—Big fight on Chester

oil and rail concession looms as Lausanne peace parley resumes.

LONDON.—Lord Robert Cecil is expected to join Bonar Law government

as Lord Privy Seal. BERLIN,—Germany's budget short-

age is now said to be seven trillion marks, approximately \$1,136,160,000, 000 on a pre-war basis.

NEW YORK.—Britain agrees to aid

dry law enforcement on three-mile

BERLIN. - Communist revolt in Mueihelm cost lives of nine persons.

NEW YORK.—"Big Jim" Larkin,
deported as undestrable, salls for Ire-

SIMLA, British India,-Molly Ellis, the fifteen year old daughter of Major Ellis, British commander at Kohat, has been rescued. The girl, who was kidnapped recently by tribesmen, reported to be safe in charge of Mrs. Starr, a woman physician, at Khanki Bazar, in the Tirah country.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has bene sued in superfor court by Cacilia Delehanty of Wortester, Mass., for \$50,000 damages for the death and suffering of her hus-bind, John N. Delchanty, a brakeman for the road, who died Feb. 9, as the PasuR of injuffed received Jan. 19,

## TURKS LOOK FOR AMERICAN AID

Get Encouragement From Talk of Minister Grew at Lausanne About Chester Deal,

MYSTERY ABOUT GRANTS

Angora Delegates Inquire Who Will Supply Money for Operations. American Says Mission Is to Saleguard U. S. Interests.

Lausanne.-The declaration by Joseph C. Graw, United Slates Minister to Switzerland, at the resumption of the Near East conference, that "the American delegation had returned to safeguard both the legitimate interests of the United States and the principles of equal commercial opportunity for all nations," has encouraged the Turk sh delegates in the bellef that the American State Department tutends to support the in terests of Admiral Chester and his associates, who were recently granted an extensive jailway, mining and oil concersion in Anatolia.

titchas slso stiffened the Turks in their determination to resist any attempt here by either France or Great Britain to bring the Chester concession into any discussion. This con-cession, recently ratified by the An gora Assembly, is generally conceded to be potentially the richest plum that the nationals of any western country have shaken from the Turkish tree in

But as it is the first concession granted by Augora it is under bitter attack. This was shown when the French delegation openly showed an intention to challenge Turkey's right to grant it, upon grounds of prior French concessions. On the other hand, the Turks here hold that any attempt to bring it into discussion is an attack upon the sovereign rights of the Augora Assembly, which they will not tolerate.

: The strangest feature of this whole Chester affair, already the apple of discord in the new conference, is the doubt the Turks themselves are in as to what American financial interests are packing Admiral Chester. To every American here the Turks are putting this question.

Apparently when the Angora As sembly ratilied the concession with only twenty-five negative votes and handed him this key to the riches of Asia Minor all that was known concerning the real backers was a Brad street report said to have been ob-tained by Admiral Mark L. Bristol. American High Commissioner at Con-stantinople, that those behind the Chester project evidently were worth unny hundreds of millions, but not disclosing their identity.

The only real money the Turks have seen is £50,000 Turkish, or

about \$30,000, which Admiral Chester put up as a guaranty, whereas the rock-bottom figure of the money Admiral Chester must find to complete his project is \$200,000,000. Also he must begin within two years. This explains why the Turks at Angora now are unxiously awaiting the ar-rival of General Coethals, who, they have been told, is the real man in the company that is to build rallways,

terminals and ports.

Meanwhile the Turks recognize that in ratifying the Chester project they have not pleased either the Brit-ish or the French. If the real Wall Street interests behind the Chester plan, therefore, will disclose themselves, the Turks will feel more at

It now appears that Admiral Chester got not only the mineral rights twenty kilometers on each side but also all water development rights, but also all water development rights, as well as a monopoly on the sale of all agricultural machinery. Representatives of other nations here pronounce it one of the most amazing concessions ever accorded. The Turks defend their grant on the wrong from the old Turkish Govern-ment, Admiral Chaster offers to build railways without exacting any guar-anty of the profits. This makes all the more interesting the identity of the real Chester backers.

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Affidavits Allege Bribery of Federal

Ameavits Allege Bridery of Federal Agents.

Whahington.—Affidayits have been filed with treasury officials charging wholesale bribery with law enforcement and alleged agents of the Department of Justice in connection with liquor selling.
The affidavits, which are said to be

in the hands of Secretary Mellon and Commissioner of Internal Revenue cover operations involving Blair, cover \$2,000.000 grait.

ARMY AIRPLANE FATALITIES

Martin Bomber Nose Dives Into Great Miami River.

Daylon,—Four men were almost in-

stantly killed and one other fatally injured when a Martin Air Service bombing plane nosedired into the great Miami river here. The dead are: Captain W. R. Lawson, pilot; Technical Sergeant Bidwell; Sergeant Wesley H. Rowland; Civilian U. M. Smith, Bureau of Standards. The injured: Technical Sergeaut F. B.

Miss Alice B. Farnham of Portland, iso a stenographer for the Corporation Trust Company, was named clerk. The company, according to the papers will locate in Portland, although it is presumed it will not operate there. The company will pay the state as organization fee of \$1170 and an anunal franchise tax of \$625.

INEZ HAYNES IRWIN Leader in the Fight For Weman's Hights



of New York City, who has been in Washington to confer with leaders of the National Woman's party on the equal rights bill which is being introduced in 41 legislatures by the party. Mrs. Icwin is the wife of Will Irwin,

## AMERICA AND MEXICO TO HOLD CONFERENCE

Commission Representing Both Countries Will Try to Remove Recognition Differences.

Washington.-A commission of two Americans and two Mexicans appointed by their respective governments, will meet in Mexico City soon in an toration of international intercourse and to recognition of the Obregon Gov-ernment by the United States.

Sucretary Hughes, in making this announcement said the names of the American commissioners would be made public later. The announcement was contained in the following formal statement:
"With the view to hasten the reach-

ing of a inulual understanding between the governments of the United States and Mexico two American commissioners and two Mexican commissioners will be appointed to meet for the purpose of exchanging impressions and of reporting them to their respective authorities. The hospitality of Mexico City has been offered to the American commissioners as the city's guests of honor, and the commission will convene there. The names of the commissioners will be announced

A similar announcement was said to have been prepared for issuance Mexico City by direction of President Obyegon,

It was made clear that the arrangements for the meeting in Mexico City should not be interpreted in any way as forcasting recognition of the Obregon Government by the United States or as implying that the Harding ad-

ministration had modified its policy.

In the event of a failure on the part of commissioners to submit a plan for recognition which could be approved by their governments, it was indicated that the present status of American-Mexican relations would be main-

#### LATEST EVENTS AT WASHINGTON

Lodge, Borah, Wilson and others stage last-minute drive to prevent President Harding's plea for World

Secretary Hughes announces two American commissioners will meet with Mexicans in Mexico City to dis-

cuse recognition issue. National conference of women trades orkers called in Washington May 14 to stop pay cuts due to failure of minimum wage law.

Treasury Department admits it is powerless to stop rum running from deep sea 'fleet. Issue to be put up

to Congress.
Representative Porter assails Lord

Robert Cecil's statements and charges League of lations is foster-ing drug traffic. President Harding said to be consider-

ing dropping world court plan, now opposed by leaders of party. Tariff Commission to consider advisability of investigating production costs of various commodities under

flexible tariff law provision.

Senate Gold and Silver Commission to Investigate methods to relieve situ-ation in prospect soon when government ceases silver purchases under

Pittman act. Venezuelan Legation here protests report that President Gomez, through loans from American bankers, has Imperiled finances of country.
Patent office here, discovering that

Germany invented armored tanks before the war, wonders how interperial Government permitted England to surprise her with tanks in action.

Woodrow Wilson, Democratic leaders say, will not be last ditch fighter against conditional world court participation; Democrats to vote for Harding participation plan rather than none at all.

The State Bonus Bill, having been rejected following an opinion by Atty. Gen. Healy that a bonus would be unconstitutional, a move to ammend the Constitution to make it logal was started by the Connecticut Legislative Committee of the Vet-erans of Foreign Wars and the Disabled American Veterana.

## POINCARE FIRM ON GERMAN POLICY

French Premier, in Speech at Monument Unveiling, Recalls Days of 1871.

INSISTS ON REPARATIONS

Will Follow Bismarck's Standard-to the Victor Belongs the Spoils. 30.000,000,000 Marks Offer Is Branded as Faurication.

Tour Meuse, France, -- Premier Poincare, speaking before thousands of residents of the Meuse Department assembled in the town of Vold at the unveiling of a monument to the war dead, relierated emphatically, that France's essential conditions to a capproachement with Germany are now. as always, "reparations and security."

The Premier, in a speech which was remarkable because it contained only a few casual references to the Ruhr draw's parallel between the earnest and successful; efforts of the French to pay indemnity and liberate their territory after 1871, and Germany's apathy, refusal and resistance in the matter of paying after 1918. Replying to the speech recently delivered in the Reichstag by Baron von Rosenberg, M. Poincare said:

"Germany's Minister of Foreign Atfairs pretended that we entered the Ruhr without sufficient cause and that we rejected in January, 1922, an offer of 30,000,000,000 marks made to the Allies fointly. This offer was invented for the occasion; it was never made, and if the figure 30,000,000,000 is named now it is doubtless an attempt to please the German socialists, who suggested It.

"But let us admit for the sake of argument that Baron ron Rosenberg told the truth, what would follow? That Gormany, after formally admitting her indebtedness of 132,000,000,000 marks in May, 1921, and after baving obtained in return for this admission the concession that the Ruhr should not be occupied, deigns in January, 1923, to offer the Allies less than a quarter of the sum promised by her and fixed by the Reparations Commission and at what price would she have us pay for this strange concession? She naked us for a moratorium of three or four years, and consented to give neither tangible security nor guarantee.

"How could we have faith in the promise of 1923, 18 months after the agreement of 1921 had been made and violated? Cheated once, would we not have been Hable to be cheated again? How could we be fools enough again to give the Reich that confidence the Ailies so lenerously accorded in May, 1921, and which was so outrageously

ilaron von Rosenberg's reference to Eismarck's treatment of France in the war of 1870, saying: "It pleased von Rosenberg to warn us that Germany dld not accept the evacuation of th Ruhr by stages, as decided at Brussels and Paris, and he dared to compare what he termed our violence with the moderation he attributed, without irony, to Bismarck."

This, added the Premier, gave only

another illustration of "the kind of truth with which Berlin has the habit writing history." M. Poincare read from German docu-

ments of 1871 quoting Bismarck's con-cern over the possible formation of a French Government unfavorable to the execution of the treaty of Versailles of that day, and Bismarck's decision in such event to consider Germany authorized to reinforce the German army in France immediately to protect our rights," with the demand that France pay such expenses. —
He recited Bismarck's declaration

that if the treaty were jeopardized Germany had the full right to make warlike preparations, even though they might result in a new war, which Bismarck warned France would be a more extensive and more severe occunation of French territory. Then M

Poincare asked his audience:
"What would the Reich say if the victors of loday spoke as did the victars of 1871?"

A skeleton, supposed to be that of a long-buried Indian, was unearthed by men ploughing near Haverhill, Mass., Old inhabitants recall stories told by their grandparents of Indian camps in the woods nearby. The skeleton was excellent condition, buried about five feet below the surface.



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## IT HAPPENED IN NEW ENGLAND

## News of General Interest From the Six States

The Episcopal Diocesan convention of Massachusatts 87 to 54 in favor of of Nations.

Mrs. Elizabeth Flint, first woman in New England to be appointed postcharge of the post office in North Attleboro, Mass.

A bill providing for old age pen sions of a dollar a day for persons over 70, which was sponsored by the Fraternal Order of Eagles, was rejected in the Connecticut Scuate by a vote of 26 to 6.

George H. Ellis of Barre, Mass., has a freak, midget call, weighing but 20 peunds, perfectly formed and about the size of a small dog. The mother is an extra large Jersey cow, and Supt. R. M. Hundy declares the offapring to be the smallest thing in the way of calves that he ever saw or

Rev. William I. Ward, former pasof the Emmanuel Methodist Church, Mansfield, Mass, has prosented to the High School a very rare collection of fossils of slate, bearing imprints of different plants. Most of the specimens were gathered in Valley Falls, Pawtucket, Newport and Bristol, R. I. The lot will prove valuable to the science department of the High School.

The full beach of the Massachusette supreme court dismissed the bill in equity brought by William E. Delanet and others against the grand lodge of the Addient Order of United Work-men of Massachusetts, seeking to restrain it from putting into operation certain recently adopted amendments to its bylaws, whereby members would have to take out new policies or pay big assessments on their originals and praying for a receiver to take charge of the assets of the associa-

If Myrtle Ham of South Berwick, If Myrtle Ham of South Berwicz,
Mo., remains single during her life
she will receive a bequest of \$10,000
under the terms of the will of George
F. Könnard of Eliot. Value of the
estate is estimated at \$176,000, Beguests of from \$6000 to \$10,000 are. biren several relatives.

Declaring that the only thing sale roller, Judge Samuel Utley in Wor-cestor, Mass., refused to convict Charles Wandland on a charge of violating the law by failing to send his calld to school. Testimony had been offered that the 7-year-old boy was required to walk nearly twe miles each way daily along a road on which automobile traffic was very heavy.

Alleged desceration by the Turks of the coffin containing the remains of Priv. George DiRuoy, of Somerville, Mass., an American soldier interred by the Orthodox Greek Church at Alachata, southwest of Smyrna, has been the subject of diplomatic exchange between the state department and the Turkish governmeent. Complete sat-isfaction has not yet been obtained but reports to the state department-with respect to the attitude of Turkish : authorities inspire department offi-class with the belief that the incident will be settled without difficulty.

EX-STATE TREASURER FINED

Harmon M. Kephart Assessed \$3,425 - After Plea.

Harrisburg, Pa.-Harmon M. Kephart, former state treasurer, was fined \$3,425 and costs after pleading noite contendre in the Dauphin County Court to charges of misdemeanor in office while state treasurer during tha four years ended May 1, 1921. The charges alleged failure to keep cor-rect account of funds entrusted to him and failure to make reports to the auditor general.

CHANGES IN DEBT FUNDING

English Treasury Still Scanning Docu-

ment of Commission.

London.—The British treasury is continuing its examination of the draft of the Anglo-American debt funding agreement, and it is under-stood the British Government desires certain minor changes in the debt dabenture.

The changes are said to concern relatively unimportant points and the negotiations are expected to be con-sluded satisfactorily in the future.

### Henry Waldron, the Man

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By PAUL J. FAY

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Rancy Waldren certainly would not have been selected by a sculptor as a model for "Hope." This, despite the fact that he was sitting near the girl he adored above all others in the world. Dorothy Hauson felt sorry for him and told him so.

"Don't take it so much to heart, Henry. I like you heaps. I admit that. In fact, I think I like you bet-fer than any other man. But I don't lere you. Really, boy, do you think you have the right to ask me to marry you! You were just graduated loday. Xes, I know you have a job in Glevoland-a good job, too, but you can't support a wife. What have you ever done to show me that you can really to things? A Phi Beta Kappa key, even in civil engineering, is far from

being a budge of success."

Henry lifted his head from his hands and looked at the girl. His eyes drank in her dark beauty. He longed to clasp her in his arms, but he dared not. When he noticed the he dared not.



Looked at Him Bliently.

level black eyes gazing into his own and the firmly molded white chin, he know further pleading was useless.

"Oh, I suppose I have nothing but my sheepskin to offer you, Dorothy." His voice was low, but it trembled with emotion. "It's the thought of your going to Des Maines tomorrow, while I must go to Cleveland. A thousand miles between us—and I don't know when I'll see you again. you go so fur away, Dorothy."
The girl smiled rather teaderly.

"Do you remember the song McCor mack sang the other night, 'Some where' It ends something like this, 'doesn't it: 'We'll meet sometime—somewhere'? Cheer up, Henry,' rising as the gong ring the closing hour for the sorority loane. 'Just promise me that you'll work hard and even a thousand miles may not be an insuper-

.; Henry allently took her outstretched hand then left the house.

Several months later Henry Waldron was mented in the office of the presidant of the Van Dorn Construction company. Richard Van Dorn had s successful air that well hefitted him Ohlo's most important contractor. "I'm giving you the change of a life

ume, Waldron." The president spoke curt snappy phrases. "I appreciate the efforts you have been making since you have been with us and realize that you know your subject better then most college bred engineers. The propor our last state highway Job in order to underlied our competitors. To make a fair profit we must cut on materials. on need do is to see that the stakes which the state highway commissioner placed along the road be driven in two inches before the con-crete is taid. The saving to us will be enormous, and the road will be practi-

He stopped and glanced keenly at the young man to observe the effect of his words. Henry was staring at him in amazement. The president was rather neitled at his apparent atti-

"Remember you're in husiness now, not in Sunday school. Success comes before everything else. Why, man, if you carry this through successfully your promotion will be so rapid it will make you dizzy. Healdes, I'll give you 15 per cent of the amount you save the company."

Henry was still silent. Van Dorn turned to his desk.

Report here confortow with your de cision," he ordered. "Remember, it you decide wrong your lob is the for-fest. We can't tolerate men who refuse to obey. Good day."
The boy prose, his brain in a whirt.

He walked slawly down to his room. Here he sat for hours fighting the biggest battle of his life. Clarped tightly in his hands was a picture, of Dorothy Hanson.

"I'm doing it for you, girlle," he whispered. "It will kill me, but I must have you. It success will win you, I'll get success. When I sacrifice even honor for you, my dear, you must love me."

He howed his head on the table and remained a tong time allent. Finally he arose, gave one more look at the finely chiseled face smiling out from the photograph, gave one more searching, questioning glance into the frank, clear eyez, and left the rom. Henry, Waldron had decided.

At ten o'clock the next morning he valked with head erect and swinging been known to a stride into the office of President Van fourths of a mile.

Dorn. That executive was busy at his desk and paid no attention to the young man. After five or ten min-Louis man utes, however, he delgned to glance up where Henry was still standing.

"I have decided, Mr. Van Dorn, that

Consequently, although 1 dis-

honor means more to me than suc-

like disobeying my employers, I must

refuse to comply with your demand of yesterday."

Van Dorn dropped the papers in his

hands and swung around in his chair. He coolly eyed Henry for a couple of

"Well," he finally gasped, "you ar

a d-d fool. Do you recall I said your job was vacant if you refused?"

did not falter.

promise?" "I do."

Henry's face was pale, but his voice

"Well, I always keep my promise.

And I promise you, also, you young brainless, that you won't get a job with any other large contractor. Do

you believe I'm able to keep that

The executive tooked at him silently

for several minutes, then a suspicious twinkle appeared in his eyes. He

arose and opened the side door of his

office. Outside was the door to another

"See that?' he asked brusquely.

Henry looked and said nothing. On the glass panel of the other door was painted the legend, 'Henry Waldron, Assistant General Superintendent,'

Van Dorn opened the door and en-

tered, nodding for the young men to

follow bim. As Henry reached the

"You have a visitor waiting for you, Mr. Waldron," the president said. "I

believe you have met my niece before,

Henry's tongue was now able to break from its moorings.

The girl advanced and her soft

arms encircled his neck. The door slammed as President Van Dorn

hastly left the room. But neither Henry nor Dorothy heard it.

Menry nor Dorothy neard it.

After several minutes the girl spoke.

"My uncle felegraphed me day before yesterday to come," she whispered. "He said he was going to test

you and he knew you'd come out all right. It isn't that sign on the door

that made me realize that I loved you,

in my beart. It says, Henry Waldron

MYSTERIOUS PLANT OF EAST

"Khat" Contains Stimulating Alkaloid

Which Scientists Admit They

Know Nothing About.

The "khat" plant is a shrub with

dark green foliage, grown on the west

coast of Arabia and in the neighbor-

Arabs chew its leaves, which, thus

used, produce an agrecable stimula-

tion like that of champagne. To the

Araba life and bard work would be unendurable without "khat." The poor

laborer who earns 80 cents a day spends half of it for the leaves, which

engender a kind of intextestion of long duration, but with none of the

disagreeable features of alcoholic inebriety. Soldiers and messengers,

Without food for several days.

Next to their religion, "khal" is the
most important thing in life to the

developed in the vicinity of Harrar, where the shrub is grewn in dwarf shoots a foot and a half or less in

height, bearing leaves which, by reason

of their tenderness and agreeable

flavor, bring the highest prices.

The stimulating sikatold, which evidently the leaves contain is unknown

to aglence. Long-continued over-in-dulgence may cause emachation and a nervous trouble manifested by tram-

Doctor's Advice on Warts.

There, are two kinds of warts—the flat, straight-side kind which appear

on the hands, face and neck of chil-

dren, and the common raised warts.

The former are rather difficult to ra-

usually disappear of their own accord. which is the reason that country dis-tricts abound in so many "sure cures."

All of these cures are worthless and

owe their reputation to the fact that

each was tried on a warr which by pure coincidence disappeared shortly

Warts should not be scrutched, as

they may thus be transferred to other parts of the ekin. When warrs persist they should be destroyed by radium or

X-ray treatment.-From the Delinea

The "Major Prophets."

The name "major prophets" is given to the Old Testament prophets

Isaiah, Daniel, Jeremiah, Ezekiel and

Daulel, because of the length of their

writings as compared with those of the "minor prophets." The term is

also applied to the books containing their prophecies. According to the

Jewish classification of the books of

the Old Testament, the "major prophets" include Isalah, Jeremiah and

Ezektel-Daniel being numbered among

Man is miserable until he gets some

and require both internal and local treatment. The common warts

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with any other large contractor.

**WISE MEN OFTEN** FOOLED BY GIRLS "Well?" he grifated. Henry answered in clear tones.

Recent Escanaba Fever Hoax Recalls Fasting Young Women Who Astonished Sages.

\_\_\_\_\_ What, do you think, was the object of these girls in pulling the stunts they did?

New York,-Temperatures as high as 114 degrees l'abrenhelt, registered with the aid of a hot-water bottle by Miss Evelyn Lyons, who fooled the doctors of her home town, Escanaba, Mich, for more than two weeks, are actually recorded sometimes in cases of sunstroke, according to local medical authorities, who explain that the patient always dies within four or five hours unless the temperature is re-Hysterical temperature or duced. thermal ataxia, occasionally will run as high as 108 or 110 degrees williout giving permanent injury, according to

some medical textbooks. The young woman of Escanaba was described as a "hysterical malingerer" by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association, who investigated her strange case and exposed her deception. It was found that Miss Lyons was running a slight temperature, due prob-ably to injuries she is asid to have received in an automobile accident. Miss Lyons' case suggests the cases of the "fasting girls"—found as far back as the Middle Ages—whose deceptions, usually the result of hysteria, convinced many learned men of their time that they were able, with the aid of some mysterious power, to live for long periods without eating.

in the opinion of many Hysteria. medical authorities, is certain to be accompanied by mental changes, in some cases disclosing only a lack of balance and will power, the partial loss of memory, or in other cases recurring melancholy, sudden emotional authorsts, loss of judgment and disreof truth. One of the marked symptoms of the affliction is a craying for aympathy.

The last two symptoms were the This list (wo symptoms for the basis for the strange actions of the "fasting girls" and self-mutilating martyrs, as well as of persons who sometimes pretended they were suffering from paralysis, tumor, stone in the bladder, and who often were eager to submit to surgical operations.

The story of a nun at Leicester who was said to have taken no nourlahment for seven years, yet preserved her attength and health, attracted the attention of Hugh, bishop of Liacoln in 1225. He assigned in clerks to observe the subject without relating their vixil. When the clerks reported to the bishop that they had followed his instructions and had found that the nun took no food, the bishop said he was convinced of the genulneness of the nun's claims.

Grew Without Eating.

One of the most striking cases in the early part of the modern era was that of Margaret Weiss, a girl of ten years who lived at Rode, a small fown pears who tive at took a share town near Spires. A history of the case of the little girl was left by Geraldus Bucoldianus, whose patient she was. The girl was said to have taken no food or drink for three years, during which time she continued to grow, to walk about, laugh and enjoy herself like other normal children of her own She was said to have suffered greatly from hysteria during the first

The child played her part so well that she was sent home to her friends by order of the king after she had heen watched persistently and declared to be no dissimulator by Doctor Bucoldianus and the parish priest.

"Doctor Buroldlanus appears to have been somewhat staggered," says Dr. William A. Hammond in his book on "Fasting Girls," for he sake very pertinently: "Whence comes the animal heat since the neither eats DOF drinks, and why does the body grow when nothing goes into it?

Symptoms of the 'fasting girls' varied, and there were some who were reported to have been marked in a miraculous manner with the wounds received by Christ at Crucifixion. One of the most recent cases of abstinence from food with stignitization was reported widely about als mouths ago in some of the newspapers of New York city.

White temperatures fluctuate widely in the case of women who are afflicted with hysteria, the highest temperatures usually found are accompani-ments of inflammatory rheumatians and malarial fever, in addition to sun stroke. The limit of human endir ence is usually reached when the temperature reaches 108 or 107 degrees and stays there for any length of time, according to Dr. Samuel W. Lambert, who has served as attending physician at some of the leading hospitals of New York, and as professor of therapeutics and dean of the College of Physicians and Suc

geons of Columbia university. Doctor Lambert believed the case of the Escanaba girl fraudulent when it was brought to his attention three days before Miss Lyons was exposed

Quessed the Reason.

"A hot-water bag in the hed will often send the thermometer up," was the first observation on her case made by Doctor Landout, who added; "The temperature will go to 114 degrees in cases of smallers, but the patient will die within a few hours unless the temperature is reduced.

"I have seen temperatures rise to Ho degrees in cases of inflammatory rheumatism, but the patient always dled. In cases of that kind the temperature rises very suddenly and death quickly follows. Temperatures will run as high as 107 degrees in cases of malarial ferer, but they

come right down again. Otherwise the issue is faint."

temperature is marked by fally varia-ilons, the lowest point usually being reached from two to four o'clock in the morning and the highest after eal ing. The normal range is less than 2 degrees. Death usually follows above 100, but variations from 75 degrees to 112 have been recorded where the patients survived.

Compared with the mean average temperature of 98.4 degrees in man some of the lower animals show markedly bigher temperatures. The sparrow, for instance, has a temperature of 110. The temperature of the horse varies from 93 to 100 degrees, the or 100 to 101, the cow 101 to 102, sheep

104 to 105, the dog 100 to 101, the cat 100, the pig 101 to 103, the rabbit 101 to 107, and the duck-bill platypus 76 degrees. The hen has a temperature of 100 to 109 and the duck 107 to 110.

Of diseases in general fever is one of the most common accompaniments. Temperatures in excess of normal are largely caused by toxic potsoning, al though in some cases fever is caused by nervous shock. In children's diseases high temperatures may develop suddenly and subside rapidly. In typhold fever, for many years one of the most dreaded diseases, the temperature at first registers from 104 to 105 in the evening and 103 to 104 in the morning. In the second and third weeks the daily range is comparative-

## Moscow Shows Bogus

Moscow, - Surface comfort which Moscow now shows to foreign visitors and the prosperity which her native profitoers enjoy are not reflected in the lives of workingmen and the other native residents who make up the bulk of her population.

All are living better than last year, but recent statistics of workmen's districts show deplorable conditions. Inyards of living space which is the legal alloiment for each person, many ned for four persons.

In one children's home 80 per cent of the inmates have lived so long on a scanty diet that they have utterly forgotten even the taste of milk, meat and fats. In one district a survey of these homes showed 85 per cent of the children suffering from tuberculosis, or predisposed to that mal-ady, because of undernourishment and overcrowding.

## Woman at Age of 80

Mrs. Mary A. Sanimyers of 1806 West Columbus avenue, when she observed her eightieth birthday. Mrs. Santmyers was born in Frederick, Md., on December 9, 1842, was married at the age of sixteen and came to this city two years ago. She had 14 children, all living.
Mrs. Santmyers, who appears to be

much younger than eighty, still has jet black bals

## Half Soles Cost 10,000

Beriln.—It costs 10,000 marks to naby now because of the extremely have soles nailed on shoes in Gar high price of leather. This is about half the monthly salary of the aver age domestic servant. Consequently it is frequently part of the agreement with servants that shoe soles are to he supplied by their employers.

New York.—Accused of kinsing a horse which he had led up on the side walk in front of 121 Bowery, James Ryan, thirty-five years old, of 195 East Sixteenth street, was arraigned in pight court here, charged with disorderly conduct and was fined \$5 by Magistrate Eliperip.

esked the magistrate. "Well, your honor," said Patrolman

Wandling, "the horse said neigh, neigh, and i arrested Ryan." The prisoner described himself as "a great lover of horses."

### Kansas First Woman Jury Frees Prisoner

The first all-woman jury lo Kansas acquitted James Cecil. of Cimerron, charged with hav-ing intextenting liquor in his possession. The jury was out seven hours; and 12 Cimerron men had to get their own suppers while their wives debated whether Cecli's car contained a jug of rum or vinegar. They finally decided that it held vinegar.

HER NINETY MILES WITHOUT PILOT. The pilotless airplane, with which the army air service has been experimenting for some months, recently made a number of successful flights of more than 90 miles. The automatic control, consisting of a gyroscope and an arrangement of bellows similar to those used in piano players is said to be more accurate and dependable then a human pilot. The tests proved it was possible to drop bombs from this plane, on targets on or off the ground, with great recuracy .-- Popular Mechanics Magazine.

#### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

'DUST UNTO DUST'

Eternal Law Seen in the Case oi Egypt.

Idle Thought That Death Could Be Conquered Overcome Only by the Teachings of the Savior.

Egypt, the rich spawning hed of all the infamies and all the magnificences of the first epoch, that African India, where the waves of history broke and dled, where but a few years before, l'ompey and Antony had finished the dream of empire and of life, this prodiglous country, born of water, bu by the sun, covered with the blood of many peoples, inhabited by many suimal gods, this country, paradoxical and superinducal, was by contrast the predeatined asylum for the fugitive. The wealth of Egypt was in mud, In

the rich anake-breeding mud which the Nile rolled out each year upon the desert. Death was the obsession of Egypt. The soft, prosperous people of Egypt would not accept death, denied death thought they could conquer death with graven images, with embalmings, with sculptured representation of ficali-andblood hodles. The rich, portly Egyptian, son of mud, adorer of the sacref bull, and the dog-headed god, could not resign himself to dying. He manufac-tured for his second life immense necropolises full of bandaged and per-funed munules, of images of wood and marble, and raised up pyramids over his corpses, as it stone and morter might save them from decay.
When Jesus could speak He was to

pronounce the verdict against Egypt; the Egypt which is not only on the banks of the Nile, the Egypt which has not yet disappeared from the face of the earth along with its kings, its spar-row hawks and its sorpents. Christ was to give the final and eternal unawer to the terror of the Egyptians. He was to condemn the wealth which comes from mild and all the fetiches of the pot-beilled river dwellers of the file, and He was to conquer death without sculptured tombs, without mortuary kingdoms, without statues of granite and basalt. His victory over death is won by teaching that ein is greedler than worms and that spiritual purity is the only aromatic which preserves from decay.

The worshipers of mild and animals, the servants of riches and the beast, could not save themselves. Their tombs, high as mountains though they ba, decked out like queens' palacca white and fair to see as those of the Pharlisees guard only ashes, dust re-turning to dust, even as the dead bodies of animals. Death cannot be conquered by copying life in wood and stone. Stone crumbles away and turns to dust, wood rots and turns to dust and both of them are mud eternal -From the Life of Christ by Giovanni Papin.

Bird Saving Expedition Dr. Alexander Wetmore of the blo-logical survey of the Department of Agriculture, will leave soon for the mid-Pacific at the head of a scientific expedition to explore the islands embraced in the national bird reservation of Hawaii. He will be accompanied by Charles E. Reno of the same bureau and the expedition will start from Sau Francisco about March 21. The Navy department will co-operate and furnish a 1,000 ton vessel to conduct the party from Honolulu to the various Islands

in the Hawalian group. Plans for the expedition have been perfected by the biological survey with the Blahop museum of Honolulu. The collections and gather information concerning the bird life of the islands and destroy a large colony of rabbles men-acing some of the land birds through the destruction of the scanty vegeta-

The Hawalian Islands, reservation consists of a dozen or more Pacific is lands, reefs and shouls, stretching over 1.500 miles.

The Flapper Knew. Something had happened. Some one had been injured. A crowd gathered around a fallen man on the sidewalk at Washington, and Illinois streets. He writhed and then stiffened, exhibiting the symptoms of a person having an epileptic fit.

"The man is an epileptic," decided a bystauder

'Naw, he's a Bulgarian," corrected a dapper, disgustedly, shifting a wad of chewing gum the better for argument.-Indianapolis News.

The Vanishing Farm. The Big Town," said Fermer Corn-torsel, "is only 40 miles away."

That ought to make it easier for

you to market the products of your I want you to understand that this ain't no farm. This here is suburban

real estate."

Question. . "What was you reading?" "A New York paper. It says the geese are still going south." "Is that a society item or an orni-thological note?" Louisville Courier-

One of His Favorites. "Our coal dealer must like me." "What makes you think so?" "He actually consented to sell me a ton of coal this morning."

Rightol Customs Inspector-What have you to declare?
Returning Passencer—I declare that

I am glad to get back.-Judge.

Fish at Play. Fish play games just like other creatures. It is common to see a fish in na mapuarina pick up a small stone and swim about with it in its mouth. It will drop it and pick it up again. Inhabitants of the sea do the same with shells

GREAT MEN MERELY HUMAN

"Belect of the Earth" Really Differ Very Little From the Rest of Mankind, .

Once when a grave ambassador vis-Ited an English king he was ushered into a room where he found the king on all fours, his son mounted upon his back and riding him hard. Around the tables, in and out between the chairs, the horse traveled white the gray-haired ambassador cheered the rider on.

Abraham Lincoln carried a load of responsibility and care that might have staggered the bravest man, but in the midst of bis sore distress he found time to slip away to spend anhour with Tad, and when his duties called him from home he could still find time to write a note to the child he had left behind-tender little messages breathing fatherly thought and affection.

Our own Roosevelt-there was a man's man, but he found time to fa-ther his children. He knew how to play with them. Remember that story of him playing "hide and seek" in the barn with the pack of youngsters in full cry? He was then President of the United States. There was every reason why he should have cried off from the frolic; he was not as young as he had been; his office was one of tremendons dignity and of such responsibility as to make his life not his own, but a people's trust. Still-he played with the children:

.Fine object lessons may be learned from a study of the home lives of noted respite around the earth.-Columbla Record, .

Twanging the Lyre, The Kansan and the Texan were-telling each other of the thoroughgoefficient nature of cyclones in ing, efficient nature of cyclones in their respective states. Said the Kansan: "Well, sir, it was

in 1000 and I was drilling for oil; Hithwit was there, about 2,000 feet down, but I had just got down a thousand and ran out of money. Fig-ured I was busted. Along came a Kapsas twister and didn't do a thing but suck the bottom out of that well: and bring in a gusher. Hard to be-lieve, but the well's there yet." Said the Texan: "Sure, I believe it.

That's nothing. During the drought of '87 my cattle in west Texas weredying fast. I set out to drill for wa-ter. Got down about a mile and still digging dust. Figured I'd better ride over to town and ask the school teacher how far I could go before I attuck Ghina. Well, sir, while I was gone a Texas cyclone came along, took rig, well and all. When I got back there was a lake a mile across and spreading fast, and the strangepart was that the water was a regu-lar Chinese yellow and just wiggling with cross eyed tadpoles."-- New Orleans Times-Picayone.

Trapping the "Flu" Garm. Germ of the "flu" has been "Iso-

lated," which is the doctors' word for cared, so that it can be microscoped. It is, no doubt, dashing wildly about, gnashing its teeth with rage; and asdemoniscally possessed of the will to-do evil as if it were a baleful-eyed. fire-breathing dragon of the sort that. St. George slew.

There are dragons in our day, too; only they are well-nigh invisible. They are as ravenous of sentient life as anything which wandered among the great ferns of the steaming prehistoric ages, although a microscopic-photographic picture of them makes them look no more feroclous than a hyphan or the polut of a needle.

All the large predatory animals that threatened man are extinct or on their way to extinction. It is the invisible world of malevolent creation that we have now to fear; and our resentment against the influenza germ hardens our hearts almost to a desire to practice cruelly upon it, if that were pos-

Had Money Enough. Twenty years ago or so there used: to be a story of a negro boy who reto be a story of a negro so, fused to carry a grip uptown for a traveling salesman. "Give you a company the salesman. "L

quarter," offered the salesman. "L got a quarter, boss." The same little now grown, was encountered by a Kansas City man on a dark afreet the other night. As there was no one about, the Kansas Oity man shied to the edge of the sidewalk, sniep to the cage of the sidewalk, giving the darky plenty of room. "Nov! mind, mister," the darky assured him. "I ato" gonna hold you up. I got as much money as you have."

Inspiring Interest. "It took me a long time to get the opposition editor out home to print that extract from my speech," murmured Senator Sorgium.

"How did you manage it?" "Wrote it in a letter addressed to somebody else, but apparently put into the wrong envelope and marked it conspicuously, 'Not for Publication.'"

An Oversight.

Daughter—How do you like my new evening gown, father?
Father—My dear girl; you surely

aren't going out with half of your hack exposed? Daughter (looking in mirror)-Ob,

it's that stupld dressmaker's fault; she forgot to cut off the other half!

Twenty-Year-Old Scarlet Fever Germ. That he had traced an outbreak of scarlet fever to a book used 20 years ago by a fever pallent and never again used by the family was stated by the medical officer at Belchamp, Essex, England,

Mankind Not Gregarious? Of all animals, more is the least suited to live in flocks. Rousscan,

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S .. CASTORIA

thing that Isn'l good for blin, and it makes him so happy that he gets down-right miserable wishing he didn't have It. Uncle Eben's Idea of Friendship. "Friendship," said Uncle Eben, "de-pends on memory. A good friend remembers you merits an' folights you faults."-Washington Evening Star.

the Haglographs.

Wanderful Fiber of Silk. ous fiber known. One cocoon has

Silk furnishes the longest continubeen known to yield nearly three-

The mean average temperature of man is 98.4 degrees by mouth. His

temperatures below 80 degrees and

## Prosperity to Aliens

workingmen's familles average only one and a half square yards of living apace for each person. Many have to sleep in relays on the basis of one

## Has Jet Black Hair.

Philadelphia — Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren — 171 persons in all—were gathered about

## Marks in Germany

Horse Kisser Fined.

"Did the horse like the embrace?"

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TORTOISES HAVE LONG LIFE Atletted Span of Three Score Years and Ten Without Significance to Those Creatures.

What apprenditives the longest Probquife sure. According to Mr. Frederic A. Lucas in Natural History, three histortolses probably have attained the greatest cares definitely recorded

A tortoise from the Aldabra islands that is still living at St. Helena, Mr. Lucas has the distinction of being the only creature new, alive that saw the great Napoleon, who died more than a century see. How old this tortolse not know but, reperable as it seems to us with our allotted span of threescore years and tentill is not so old his another tortoise, which is or recently was highing on the island of Mauritius, whither it was brought from the Seychelles many years before, being even then of unusual size. In Mauritius it became a national possession and in 1810 was specifically mentioned in the treaty by which the French coded the freaty by which the French codes one Island to England. It is said to have been living in Maurillus for at least seventy years, so that it is pretty safe to conclude that it is at least one hundred and fifty years old.

That tortoise has been confounded with another, which was brought to England in 1897, and which now is preserved in the Rothschild museum at Tring. It was certainly more than one hundred and fifty years old at the time of its death-proposity it was nearer two hundred years—and it is the largest known tortolse. It is reported to have attained the weight of five hundred and sixty pounds.

#### THEIR CHIEF DESIRE IS NOISE

Queer "Musical" Instruments That Are In Use Among the Savage Tribes In Africa.

When visitors of prominence tour Africa they are greeted by the most amazing efforts on the part of a native band. One of the favorite instruments is a huge zylophone, many yards in length, upon which a score of blacks whack and bong to their hearts' con-Those of one end pound small pleces of wood, which give out high notes, while pieces of considerable size supply the bass todes. A few empty petrol this placed here and there give drum effects. As a rule the savage prefers something that he can hang, but any noise is better than none. In the east, wild music is played on pipes made of bambon, while bollow gourds of various sizes provide the African savage with home-grown tlufes, clarinets and bassoons. Sometimes he will arrange them so that they form a kind of plane. He sits surrounded by a circle of dried fruits, whose hollow skins give out high or low notes, according to their size, as he taps them with his fin-

Glands Are Funny Things.

Why is it that military music makes one want to march; that jazz music makes one want to dance, and plaintive music makes one sad Science discovered that it is all due to a little gland situated at the base of one's brain, and it controls the rhythmic beating of the heart. It prevents it—and other organs of the body-from racing, or working irregularly.

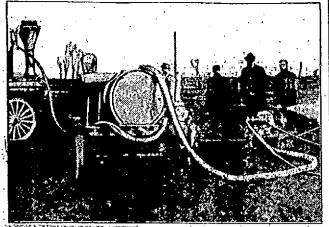
Martial music excites the pitultary gland very much, and in response the gland manufactures and sends into one's blood more than its normal amount of fluid. It is this fluid that controls the speed of one's heart, and with the extra amount one's heart beats much faster, giving one that exhibarated military feeling.

Another type of music acts on the pituitary gland in just the opposite way-it slows it down, with an accompanying depression or sadness.-Detroit News.

Entertainment for Lepers.

The lever colony of Porto Rico on Cabras island, after years of dreary days and silent nights, can now listen to the voices of the world. A radio recalving set has just been installed there. Probably not since its invention has the setting up of a radio set been watched by a more interested group of spectators than that which followed the movements of the Rev. Charles B. Bare and two employees, as they installed the instrument When the loud speaker comes you will be able to hear concerts, music and singing in San Juan, in Havana and in the big cities of the United States," they were told. The radio concerts will be heard in the club house of the Philanthropic society of Cabras Island. The clubhouse is rather meagerly furnished-a broken vio troin, a rather unsteady table, and one benches and chairs. Superintendent Rubin has promised to see that everyone has a seat-and so on nights when Plitsburgh and Havana "speak out clear and hold" the exiles of Cabras

### LIVE STOCK INDUSTRY MENACED BY DISEASE OF FOOT AND MOUTH



Disinfection of Promises After Slaughter of Animals Affected With Foot-and-Mouth, Disease. This Hathod is Also Used in Control of Other Diseases. (Prepared by the Uested States Department | neighbors which has foot-and-mouth of Agriculture.)

port as to diagnosis was given out be-

of the disease "would be bad for ex-port trade." Before the disease on the

island had been definitely diagnosed,

several sulpments of hides and skins which arrived in New York city were refused entry because the chief of the

hureau of animal industry was sus-fictions that the entroofic disease in Jamaica could be none other than foot-

and mouth discase. These hides and

had to be returned to Jamiilca.

the disease appear.

kins were thereupon returned to

With this dangerous plague menac-

USE WHEAT DOCKAGE

Foreign Material Was Removed

at Threshing Time.

Makes Excellent Substitute for High-

Priced Cats and Other Grains-

Clean Wheat Brings Higher

Price on Market.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Enough coarse foreign material, or

dockage, to feed ten cows and 30

horses for seven months was removed

from the wheat grown on a North

Dakota farm in 1921, according to in-

formation received by the United States Department of Agriculture. The foreign material was removed

from the wheat at the time of thresh-

ing with an experimental grain re-

cleaner tested by R. H. Black, in

charge of grain-cleaning investigations

for the department. The foreign ma-terial was finely ground before feed-

ing so as to kill the germs of the

The owner of the farm had previ-ously sold his wheat "in the dirt" at

his local elevator and had received nothing for the foreign material in

the grain. Moreover he had been

compelled to use high-priced onts and

other grains for feed for his live

grinding the dockage in 1921, he obtained fairly good feed at practically

no cost.
"Another inducement to clean grain

market than grain which contains

and methods of cleaning grain on the farm are described in Farmers' Bulle-

tin 1287, Foreign Material in Spring

tained upon request of the United

States Department of Agriculture,

PLANNING FOR 1923 SEASON

Time to Decide on Kind of Incubators

and Brooders to Buy -Figure on Laying Pullets.

Proper care of the brooders is essen-

ial to success in the spring. It is

time to decide on the kind of incuba-

tors and brooders to buy, as manufac

turers will be rushed to make quick deliveries later. If any breeding cock-

erels will be needed it is well to order

now and not be forced to take leftovers

It is also well to figure now the

number of laying pullets for next fall.

It will require on an average five egg-

set for every nullet produced. It will

take approximately one breeding hen

for every five or six pullets that are

How the Great Pyramid Was Built.

They worked in relays of 100,000

men, continuously, each relay for three months. The people spent ten

years upon the ramp over which they

in my indement, than that of building

the pyramid itself. . . . The ten years, I mean, were expended upon

this ramp, and the work upon the mound upon which the pyramids

stood, and upon the chambers under-

ground. . . The time occupied in building the paramid itself was 20

years.—Herodotus in his "History,"

the stones, a work not less,

eatched not inter than April.

dragged

Wheat, copies of which may be ob

Various types of cleaning machines

dockage," Mr. Black says.

Washington, D. C.

By cleaning his grain and

weed seeds.

The live stock industry of the United States is constantly menaced by an invasion by foot-and-month disease, and fragine with which our producers and state and freely governments have industry experience by a number of occasions. This disease, produced by the smattest by receive and serious disease affecting the foot of the smattest by receive and serious diseases affecting cloves not serious diseases affecting cloves not serious diseases affecting cloves not serious disease appearance in the finited States, it would seriously interrupt the States, it would scriously interrupt the business zof harketing; fransporting. teedling and islaughtering and cause great losses to opporers of live stock. Mithis beyond possibility of eradigation with the present methods employed in most countries of confinental Europe, and England is just getting her most recent outbreak under control. The only countries on the other side of the Atlantic from which live stock may now be shipped to this country are Scotland and the islands of Guernsey

Greatest Danger to Industry.

But, perhaps, the greatest danger to the industry in this country lies in the presence of the disease in South America, Central America, and Jamaica. Constant vigliance on the part of the United States Department of Agriculture is maintained to prevent the Importation of disensed unlimits or material that might carry the infection within our borders. The organization for providing this protection for our live stock resources is inconspicuous so long us no drastic action is necessary, but a well-organized army of veterinarians and other employees of the department and of state live stock sanitary bodies is ready to take arms against the instillions invader at prac-tically a moment's notice.

In the words of Dr. John R. Mohler, chief of the bureau of animal industry. "the bureau has not only instructed its men in the necessary procedure in the event of another outbreak, but it has selected certain experienced men to fill definite assignments in the vari-



Deep Burial of Cattle Slaughtered to Prevent Spread of Foot-and-Mouth

ous phases of quarantine and eradication work. A list of these men and the usually bring a higher price in the work they are to do is on file at Washington so that within an hour after the disease makes its appearance instructions can be telegraphed to these regular and reserve officers of the disease defense army and the work of combating the destroyer will begin at once. The states have been urged to make similar preparations." A book of instructions as to the procedure in all phases of the work is in the hands of all chief inspectors and a supply is in reserve for emergency use.

These statements are not made with the idea of creating slarm, but to assure farmers and breeders and others interested that the sources from which feot-and-mouth disease might come are well known, that the avenues of possible introduction are being watched and that the country is prepared to checkmate the invader wherever and whenever he may appear. As a result of experience this country has learned that the drastic method of quarantine, slaughter, and disinfection of premise the quickest, safest, and most Countries which have economical. temporized with it as a result are suffering permanent and continuous

Close Watch on Mexico.

Mexico, although the disease has not been reported as existing there, is looked upon as a convenient bridge between Guntemain, a country which has reported the presence of the plague, and our southwestern border. For that weason representatives of the bureau of animal industry are keeping a close watch on live stock and other imports from that country. Until recently cattle were shipped from Guate male by rail into southern Mexico. Al-though Hondura's has not admitted the presence of the disease there, Guatemala considers this next-door neigh bor the source of the infection that is now causing her losses.

Jamaica is another of our near

IN NEW APPAREL

EGYPTIAN IDEAS

Gowns Are Agleam With Embroideries of Vari-Colored Seini-Precious Stones.

All sorts of surprises meet us on the opening days of the spring seathe New York Times.

All of the designers, their creative and artistic faculties stimulated by dis-coveries at Tut-Aukh-Amen's treasures, receitly brought to fight by the open ing of the last of the Pharach's tombs, have given to the world an unprece-dented wealth of sartorial splendor, pristing and larbarie in coloring. Evenlig gowns, particularly, give evidence of this Egyptian origin of ideas. They are agleam with embroideries of vari colored semi-precious stones. Even the suits and wraps are colorful in a novel sense and are ornamented with embrolderies varying from those of primi-



Egyptian Draping, With Beaded Or-nament of the Same Era Makes One of the Newest Evening Frocks.

live and ancient design to the most brilliant lived and pretentious of notifs. Some of them even flaunt the outstretched wings of the royal vulture, that symbol of hope, which the Pharmons ir troduced into their decoralive scheme of things funereal to such a murked degree.

· There is a decided significance in the fact that these novel shades are the exact colors of the semi-precious stones which ornament many of the toyal garments recently taken from the Egyptian tomb. Particularly smart are the blues of the turquoise, the pinks and reals of the carnellan and the blues and lapis lazuli. Above all, the insistent use by all of the Parislan conturiers of shades of intense blue. flame, scarlet, citron yellow, orange, and what are known as Egyptian red and Pompellon colorings all bespeak their ancient origin.

All of the nuber and Titian shades so smart this season may likewise be traced to the same source. At the same time we find the anomaly which proves the rule in a simultaneous vogue for the all-white costume, the nil-black creations, the black-andwhile combinations and the natural shades such as beige, putty, peach, sirocco, pampas, sand, and the deeper autumnal colorings which merge into hazel, mandalay and pueblo. Who, knowing the Egyptian landscape, could wonder that these tones take their place so naturally in a season of Egyp-

tian modes? Colors for Out-of-Door Wear.

So there is no dearth of color this season in costumes designed for out-ofdoor wear. Formal evening gowns alone are, as a rule, keyed to less vibrant colors, though they more than compensate for this through their brilliancy of sheen. Fashioned of plain or fancy tinted lame, with a slight favoring of sliver cloth, this type of is ablaze with all-over broideries in semi-precious stones usually lu two colors. Turquoise blue and crystal or cut red stones with touch of black are particularly in evi dence. The new metal cloths are sofof texture, lending themselves ideally to the prevailing modes that are draped. It is remarkable, however, to see how many of the newer models for evening are of simple, tubelike lines with beaded embroiderles covering ormost the entire surface.

Often the draperles are set on separately at one side of the front or or It is only the draped moire evening fracks and the charmingly routhful dance frocks of crepe or of chillon which are more vividiy col-

Onite Egyptian, the designers claim. is the wide panel train bung from the shoulder line. It is so heavily bejeweled that it sweeps far out from the figure at the back even when, as is occasionally the case, the jeweled girdle sloping downward from the walstline in front, holds the train to the figure at the hips. Somehow this train suggests a return of the more formal type of wedding gown and the passing of the ingenue bride.

trend of fashion toward elaborate drupings, and fabrics and trimmings is reintroducing an age of sophisticated feminine apparel such as our present rounger generation has never dreamed of. But, true to type, it is bound to revel in this very sophistica-

The American woman is choosing a

long coat for spring and it is a most elaborate affair wherever it is found It is made in most instances and strangely enough, of silk; but that silk is never allowed to be plain and unadorned. There is all over embroidery used in conspicuous and inconspicuous There is usually applied a coller of soft white or gray fur to make it effective and becoming at the neckline. There is always a lie belt or sash with a wide or a narrow bow at one end, which is the only means of holding the coat in place. The sleeves are, as a rule, fitted and nurrow, but the embroidery extends all over their surface as well as the surface of the coat. The linings of these wraps are soft and sumptuous in grays or white or tan in one of its many in-teresting spring shudes.

Capes of Silk. Then there are the capes made of silk. They are as graceful and charming as they can be, with many widths of fullness left to them so that their wearers' can exert all of their individual ability in the direction of hug-(igures and giving to them the draped lines that most become their own personulities.

The question of this outer wrap has been something in which the American woman delights her taney for expressing the present size. They are so amant that no one can go wrong ta choosing one for her wardrobe; they are so useful, too, in so many ways that she will live to than her instinct for the choice of the control for leading her to select one for a place in her apring collection of cioti es.

Here and there we see a three-quarter cont that bolds a grave interest for it is something so new in the pos-session of tables. These coats are looke and indicated with strictly flowing lines, and they, too, are em-broidered either for trimming about the edges, or, in an all-over pattern following the treatment of the longer wrons that have already been de

Costs for the three-pieco suits are offen found to be short. At times ex-irentely short. At other times they grow longer, remain in straight lines and end somewhere about the knees But these coats are cut so cleverly that they never for one moment sug-gest that they are anything but essential parts of the suits of which they are parts.

A great many of the coats for the three-piece saits are either trimmed with braid or ornamented with em-broidery of one sort or another. It is soldom, indeed, that they are left plain, for it seems as though they must have some little sign of trimming to keep them in key with the season's styles. One of them is made of gray kusha cloth and is thest with a shade of almond green slik that makes a de color combination.

Siceves Are interesting. The sleeves in this coat are characteristic of the signess in many of the coats of this general character. They are closely fitted at the armholes, and to the elbow they keep up that fitted line without any interruption. After



Three-Piece Suit With Braided Trimrating. One of the Ecci. is in the Spacer Fashion Process.

reach the last of the have vide and spread.: 2 if they to be fitted anywhere, and retes say that they must be, utiling takes place at the he for the lower sections es are kept just as flaring 01 () as di. sing been for some seasons past.

There is one of these draped frocks with its skirt caught into a large bunch at the front under an Egyptian headed ornament. All of the attention has heen configed to the skirt and the bodice is left so posin that it is noticeable for that reason. This is one of the new ways to bandle the material on a draped cown, being in accordance with this poor farity of Egyptian lines It is also designed to suit the Ameri can woman's figure most beautifully

It is only on very rare occasions, for instance, such as a royal wedding, that the peal of the Westminster abbey bells reard. The tenor bell is very old dating from 1420, and two of the otherwere presented by Gabriel Goodman dean of Westminster in Queen Eliza beth's time. The octave was incom plete, however, until some time ago when two additional bells were added. and the existing six were at the same time reliung and tuned.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

HIGH PRICES FOR TAPESTRY

Masterpleces Eagerly Snapped Up by Dealers and Connoisseurs at Recent New York Sale.

A inte Gothic Arras tapeatry, depicting the "Banquet of Abraham's Wife, Surah," was sold for \$3,200 at the American Art Galleries the othor day. It was one of a notable group of tapestries which was sold at the third session of a sale to liquidate the interest of the late Mine, Anna Keller in the firm of Keller & Punaro. session's fotal smounted to \$130,020.

The Arras tapestry was purchased by William Bunngarten. It was from the collection of Baron de Courreval, of France, and is a richly designed specimen, with numerous figures clearly defined about a banquet table.! A Flemish Sixteenth century Renaissance tapestry, representing "Henry II Hunting," brought \$4,800. J. Fry, who also acquired a Brussels Sixteenth century Henalssance tapestry signed with the monogram of Martin Reymboutes, fa-mous Belgian weaver, for \$3,200, was the buyer.

A brilliant Louis XV furniture suite consisting of a large settee and six armichairs with rearried and spieded armichairs with rickved and gitted fraines covered with fioral aubusson tapestry on which were medallious of children after Boucher and animals after Oudrey, ittuitrating La Fontaines tables, was purchased by W. W. Sesmin, as agreed, for 35,000.

of Alexander at the Battle of Issue and the Italian Renaisanne specimes of a century later, entitled "The Triumph of Caesar," were accurred by O. Bernet, ngont, for \$4,700 and \$3,800 respectively. New York Times,

#### TO RESTORE WEBSTER HOME

Site May Bo Purchased and Mala-tained as Memorial to the Emtnent Lexicographer.

Plans are now afout in West Hartford, Conn. for the restoration of the form, for the restoration of the old furnisouse that tailing into decay, where Noah Webster was born 165 years ago. Repairs atrendy have been commenced by the present where, It, A. Handliffer, and the that will be carried to completion at this own expense. It is his hope that poblic interest may be aroused sufficiently to bring about the purchase of the site and its maintenance as a memorial to the unineat lexicographer.

The Webster house is of two stories and a lean-to. There is a jong woodshed at the back. It stands upon a little ridge, and looks down from this eminence upon the city of Hartford. Until he was fourteen Noah Webster worked on this farm with his father and brothers. He was determined to go to college, and against the wishes his father was admitted to Yale In 1774.

His first venture was "Webster's Spelling Book." It enjoyed a fremendons vogue and pupils of the little red schoolhouse studied it almost universally. In 1806 he sat down to compile his dictionary, and at the time of his death still was engaged in the task of keeping his edition in siep with the progress and change of the English language.

### Little Misunderstanding.

She was absent-minded, but very preity. The other morning she looked her best as she approached the counter

in a hardware store.
"Have you any whiskers?" she asked the obliging assistant who harried for-ward to ascertain her wishes.

The poor fellow blushed to the roots

"I beg your pardon, madam," he stammered, thinking that his cars must have deceived him.

."I came to see if you have any whis-kers," repeated the girl.

For the moment the assistant thought his senses must have left him; then he concluded that the young wom-an must be mentally deficient, and he looked pilyingly at her.
At this juncture a half-stified giggie

from a lad standing near the fair customer reached her ear. Then she realized her blunder.

"Oh, of course, of course," she gasped, quickly, "I mean egg-whiskers."

Shares Flowers With Employees. Louis F. Swift, president of Swift & Co., does a large part of his work at a standing desk outside of his private office. At this desk he receives department managers as well as office boys.

He has adopted this custom in order that he may come in close contact with his employees. He does not believe in the use of private offices to any great extent.

He is seidom seen without a flower. His one hobby is flowers, and he shares them with his employees. Every week large boxes of flowers are brought to his office from his conservatory and distributed among the various departments .- Kansas City Star.

Way of Lightning.

It has been pointed out in some scientific quarters that the new known facts seem to require a modification of the statement found in some text books that "It is impossible to say whether a flash of lightning moves from a cloud to the earth or in the opposite direction." Many observa-tions of lightning made in South Africe show that in all cases the discharges were from cloud to cloud or from the clouds to the earth. Quite frequently, it is said, the South Airicans have observed lightning flashe basing a cloud for the earth, but fading away before reaching it. The opposite phenomenon has not been ob-

"Jack, dear, you remember before we were married you said that any thing you could do to make me happy would make you very, very happy. "Yes, dear, I believe I did."

"Well, I really must baye a new gown. I hope you won't deny your self that happiness. Jack."-Boston."
Evening Transprigt. At the election of officers of the Artillery Co., A. A. Barker was elected Colonei, Herbert Bliss Lt. Col., Henry C. Stevens, Jr., Major John D. Rich-ardson Captain, A. J. DeBlois Adjt., William D. Sayer Qr. Mr.

At the meeting of the Epworth League Tucaday evening, Mrs. B. F. Thurston read a very interesting pa-per on Robert Browning, and Miss Blanché Leavitt one on "Life in a Girls' College."

Mr. James E. Brown, one of New-port's most highly esteemed citizens, and a prominent member of Trinity Church, died at the residence of his sen, Mr. Thomas G. Brown, on Broad-way, Sunday evening. Mr. Brown had a wide circle of friends in the busi-ness world of Newport. He leaves ness world, of Newport. He leaves three sons: Thomas C. Brown, Rev. J. Eldred Brown, rector of Trinity Church, of Norwich, Conn., and Janues B. Brown, Jr., who is in business in Denver, Col.

On Thursday Col. Barker, of the Artillery Company, received orders to march with his Company to Fort Adams, to perform garrison duty. The Company immediately responded to the summons in greater numbers than the order required, which was three officers and eighty men.

### Sheriff's Sale

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Newport, Sc. Sheriff's Office, Newport, R. I., February 5th, A. D. 1923. By VIRTUE and in pursuance of an Execution Number 350, fested out of the Superor Court of Bhode Island within and the Court of Bhode Island within and the Court of Ihode Island A. D. 1923, upon a judgment rendered by said Court on the 5th thry of October, A. D. 1922, in favor of John H. Karanjian, and and style of John II. Karanjian, of said Newport, plaintiffs, and against Morris Sherman of said Newport, defendant, I have this day at 1 infaute past 10 o'clock a. m., lovied the said Execution on all the right, title and interest, which the said defendant, Morris Sherman, had on the 8th day, of August, A. D. 1921, at 37 infaute past 12 o'clock p. m. (the line of the attachment on the original wrill) in and to a certain lot or parcel of land, with all the buildings and improvements thereupon, situated in said City of Newport, in said County of Newport, in the State of Rhode Island, and Providence Plantations, and bounded and described as follows:

Ist parcel. Easterly 150 feet by Dibbs avenue, Southerly 203 feet, partly by land of Emily J. Delbois and partly by land of the fibbs Land Company.

2d parcel. Southerly, on East Bowery street, 50 feet; Easterly by lands of Mary E. Greetish does and marry by land of elements of the said of Lengmin B. Curtist; Westerly 150 feet by Delbais avenue, 50 (the Fire States) by lands of Mary E. Greetish does by Charles Bowery street, 50 feet; Easterly by lands of Mary E. Greetish does have and had the shade and the said of the fibbs Land Company.

AND Mottee is hereby given that I will sell the said street and the said of the last of the s Newport, Sc. Sheriff's Office, Newport, R. I., February 5th, A. D. 1923.

AND

Notice is hereby given that I will sell the said attached and levied on real estate at a Public Auction to be held in the Shoriff's Office in said City of Newport in said County of Newport, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1929, at 11 e/clock a. m., for the satisfaction of said execution, debt, interest on the same, costs of suit, my own fees and all contingent expenses, if sufficient.

FRANK P. KING.

Probate Court of the City of Newport. April 17th, 1923.

Ridti of Robert W. Corry
WALTER CURITY. Executor of the hist
will and testament of Robert W. Curry,
late of said Newtort, decessed, presents
his first hind lind account with the batate of said decessed for allowance,
which account slower distribution in accoordance with the decrea of the will; and
the same is received and referred to the
Seventh day of May next, at ten oclock
a. m. at the Pokate Court Room in said
Newport, for consideration; and it is
ordered that notice thereof be; jublished
for fourteen days, once a week, in the
Newport Mercury. Eslate of Robert W. Corrs

DUNCAN 'A. HAZARD.

Probate Court of the City of Newport, April 27th, 1923. Estates of Louis G. Dring, Robert Dring

and Almee Bring

COMMUNICATIONS in writing are made by Louis c. Dring, Robert Dring and Almee Dring, Indoor Orling, Indoor Orl

Probate Court of the City of Newport April 26th, 1922. Estate of Emily J. Gersin

Estate of Emily J. Gersia

A COMMUNICATION in writing is made
by Emily J. Gersin, a minor over the age
of fourteen years, daughter of Charles
H. Firnges and Caroline Pirtues, late
of said Newport, deceased, informing the
Court that she has made choice of Aifred
R. C. Gairenmeier, of said Nepport,
as guardian of her estate, and requesting
the Court to approve said choice; and
the same is received and referred to the
Fourteenth day of May next, at 10 o'clock
a, m. at the frobate Court Room in said
Newport, for consideration, and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for
fourteen days, once a week in the
Newport Mercury,

DUNCAN A, HAZARD,

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Probate Court of the City of Newport, April 26th, 1923.

Estate of Argustas N. Gersin
PETITION In writing is made by Endig
I. Gersin, of said Newport, requesting
that Alfred R. C. Gattenmeler, of said
Newport, or some other suitable person,
may be appointed Guardian of the estate of Augustus N. Gersin, a miner
and Endig I. Gersin and of Arapute R
Gersia, late of said Newport, deceased
and said pruition is received and referred
to the Fourteetht day of May next, at
ten oclock a m., at the Probate Court
Room in said Newport for consideration,
and it is ordered that notice thereof be
published for fourteen days, once a week,
in the Newport Mercury. and in the published for fourteen published for fourteen in the Newport Mercury.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD. Clerk.

IN VIJCHE and in pursuance of an Excection Number 3168 issued out of the Superior Court of Rivide Island within and for the County of Newport 2 and stated by 67 February 15 Court August extended by 28th John a judgment readered by said Court on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1922, in favor, or the Newport Trust Court August dered by said Court on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1922, in favor, or the Newport Trust Court August elected by said Court on the 18th day of the Newport Trust Court and of the Newport Trust Court and of the State of the 18th day of the 18th

Note is increby given that I will sell the said attached and leveled on real estate in a Public Auction to be held in the Sheriff's Office in said City of Newton that a restrict in the Sheriff's Office in said City of Newton that and County of Newton, on the lith day of May, A. D. 1923, at 12 o'clean non, for the satisfaction of said execution, debt interest on the same, cost-of suit, my own fees and all contingent expenses, if sufficient.

FRANK P. KING.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Newport, Sc. Sheriff's Office, Newport, R. L. February 6th, A.D. 1923

Newport, Sc. Sheriff's Office, Newport, R. I., February 6th, A.D. 1923
IN VIRTUE and in pursuance of an Escution Number 1935, issued out of the Superior Court of Rhode Island within and for the Oceanber, A. D. 1922, and returnable to the said Court June 23th, A. D. 1823, upon a judgment rendered by Saft Court on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1822, in favor of Israel Smith, plaintiff, and against foddering Polant, wife of Dandolo Bokani, of Newport, defendant, I have this day at 15 minutes part 1 oclock p. m., levied the said Execution on all the right, title and interest which the said defendant. Lodovina Boiani, had on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1921, at 25 minutes past 2 oclock p. m., the time of the attachment on the original writh the said Execution of the substant of a creatal, lot or parcel of land, with all the buildings and improvements thereupon, situated in said City of Newport, in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, and bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly on Broadway, 55 feet; Northeasterly on Inand of Julia E. King, 515 feet; Southeasterly, on Cranston avenue, 75.35 feet. He all of the said measurements more on 1928 or however described.

AND

Notice is hereby given that I will said the said measurements more on 1928 or however described.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell the tail attached and levind on real estate at a Tublic Anciton to be held in the Sheritt's Office in said City of Newport in said County of Newport in the said counting the county of the said counting the said said expension, debt. interest on the same, costs of suit, my own fees and all contincent expenses, if sufficient.

PERNIC P. NING.

FRANK P. KING. Papery Sheriff.

Probate Court of the City of Newport. Estate of Edward Sufficen

Sheriff's Sale

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Newport, Sc. Sheriffs Office, Newport, R. I. December 1, A. D. 1952.

Newport, Sc.

Sheriff 6 Office, Newport, R. I.

BY VIRTUE and in pursuance of an Execution Number 3078 issued out of the Superior of Robel Island within and for the County of Newport, on the 16th and for the County of Newport, on the 16th and for the County of Newport, on the 16th and for the County of Newport, on the 16th and for the Said Court 1922, and returnable to the said Court 1923, and returnable to the said Court on the 16th and June A. D. 1932, in 1924 and 1924 in 192

FRANK P. KING

Newport, R. L. March 7, 223. For good and sufficient cause the above advertised sale is hereby adjourned to the sevential of April, A. D., 1923, at the time hour and place above named.

For good and sufficient cause the above advertised sale is hereby adjourned to the Fifth day of May, A. D. 1913, at the same hour and place above named.
PRANK P. KING.
Deputy Sheriff.

### Sneriff's Sale.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Sheriff's Office, Newport, R. I.
Newport, Sc. Jany 29th, A. D. 1923.
BY VIRTUE and in pursuance of an Execution Number 3741 issued out of the Superior Court of Rhode Island within and for the County of Newport, on the 25rd day of Gaussatd, Court July 23rd, A. D. 1923, and returnable to assat Court July 23rd, A. D. 1923, upon a judgment rendered by said D. 1922, in favor of Patrick II. Horgan D. 1922, in favor of Patrick II. Horgan of the City and County of Newport and State of thode Island, plaintiff and in the right, title and interest, which the said Defendant, Dendis Shanahan, alias, bad on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1922, at 55 minutes past 2 o'clock p. m., levted the said Execution on all the right, title and interest, which the said Defendant, Dendis Shanahan, alias, bad on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1922, at 55 minutes past 2 o'clock p. m., (the time of the attachment on the original writ), in and to a certain lot or parcel of land, with all the buildings and improvements thereupon, situated da the City of Newport, in said County of Newport, in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations and bounded and described as follows:

All those certain lots or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in the said City of Newport, and bounded and described na follows: "Westerly on Thannes Street: Northelly on an allayway leading from Thames street to Duke street; and Southerly partity on land now or formerly of Edorge B. Hazard, or however bounded, said land being the same premises conyeyed to John Shanahan hay iwo deads in separate lots, on deed from John A. C. Stacy dated April 101 state of said Newport, and the other dated April 6th, 1832, from Thomas Steet of said John Shanahan, And D. And Chanahan has a heir of said John Shanahan, and the other dated April 6th, 1832, from Thomas Steet of said John Shanahan, and the other dated April 6th, 1832, from Thomas Ste Sheriff's Office, Newport, R. I.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell the sald attached and levied on real estate at a Public Auction to be held in the Sherriff's Office in said City of Newport in said County of Newport on May, and Sewhert on the Sale of Newport of May, and Sewhert on the Sale of Sale and Sale of Sale and Sale of Sale are said in the Sale of Sale are said all contingent expenses, if sufficient.

eFRANK P. KING. Deputy Sheriff.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court

Newport, Sc. Newport, March 24th, A. D. 1923. WHEREAS, Abble L. Germaine of the City of Newport in said County and State, has filed in this office her petition, praying for a divorce from the bond of marriage now existing between the said Abble L. Germaine, now in parts to the said Abble L. Germaine unknown, on which said petition an order of notice has been emerced:

pelition an order or nonce the seas. Itered:
Notice is therefore hereby given to the said Joseph H. Germaine, of the pendency of said pelition, and that he shall appear, if he shall see fit, at the Superior Court to be holden at the Con House to Newport, within and for the County of Newport, on the third Monday of May.
A. D. 1923, then and there to respond to said pelition.

SYDNEY D. HARVEY.

SYDNEY D. HARVEY, Clerk

Probate Court of the City of Newport

Probate Court of the City of Newport.

Estates of Clifford Johnson, Ird., Gladys
Elizabeth Johnson and William

NOTICE is hereby given that Clifford
Johnson, Jr., has qualified as Guardian
of the estates of Clifford Johnson, and,
Gladys Elizabeth Johnson and William
Turner Johnson, minors, of sak Newport.

Creditors are notified to file their claims
in this office within the times required
by law beginning April 11st, 1922.

April 15th 1922.

April 15th, 1923.

Probate Court of the City of Newport. Estate of Agnes C. Freer

NOTICE is hereby given that Michael F. Costello, of Partucket, Rhede Island, has qualified as Administrato; de bonis non, of the estate of Agnes C. Freer, late of Newport, deceased.
Creditors are notified to file their claims in, this office within the times required by law beginning April 25th, 1523. April 23rd, 1923. Clerk.

Probate Court of the City of Newport, Estate of Victor Sablin

NOTICE is bereby given that Charles Sahlin has qualified as Administrator of the estate of Victor Sahlin, late of Newport, decoased Creditors are notified to file their claims in this office within the times required by law beginning April 23th, 1921.

April 24th, 1922. Crerk.

Sheriff's Sale

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Newport, R. J. Aug 25th. A. D. 1922.

Newport of Providence, on the 18th Deliation of Rhode Island within and for the District Outro of the State Unit of the Newport of Providence, on the 18th Deliation of 1913.

D. 1914, upoli a judgment rendered by east Octup. Learn 1914.

D. 1917, in favor of the Providence Distriction, Company, a corporation or Senised under the laws of the State of Indeed Island, and having its office of Indee Island, and having its office of Indee Island, and having its office Indeed Island, and Indeed Island, and Indeed Island, and Indeed Indeed Island, and Indeed Indeed Island, and Indeed Island, and Indeed Indeed Island, and Indeed Indeed Indeed Island, and Indeed Indeed

Notice is hereby given that I will sell the said altached and levied on real estate at a Public Auction to be held in the Sheriff's Office in said City of Newport in said County of Newport on the 3nd dry of December. A D 1922, at 13 office in one, for the saidstaction of said Execution, debt, interest on the same, costs of suit, my own fees and all contingent expenses, it sufficient. FRANK P. KING

Deputy Sheriff.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 2, 1922. For good and sufficient cause the above advertised sale is hereby adjourned to the Strond day of January. A. D. 1925 at the same hour and place above named. FRANK P. KING.

Deputy Sherid.

Newport, R. I., January 2, 1923.
For good and sametent cause the above advertised sale is hereby adjourned to the Second Dny of February, A. B. 1923, at the same hour and place above named.

FILANK P. KING.

Heputy Sherift.

Newport, It, I., February 2, 1928

Newport, it. 1. Percentary a con-For good and sometent cause the above advertised sale is hereby adjourned to the second day of March, A. D. 1925, at the same hour and place above named. PRANK P. KING, Deputy Sherin.

Newport, R. I., March 2, 1923. Newport, R. I., March 2, 1923.

For good and amdient cases, the abore advertised sale is hereby adjourned to the Second day of May, A. B. 1923, at the same hour and place above named.

FRANK P. KING

Deputy Sheri.

Probate Court of the City of Newport, Estate of Mary Agnes Slavin, also known

Estate of Mary Agnes Slavis, also known as Agnes Slaven
NOTICE is hereby given that James A.
McGowan has qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mary Agnes Slavin, also known as Agnes Slaven, late of Newport deceased.
Creditors are notified to file their cialms in this office within the times required by law, beginning April 14th, 1923.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, April 9th, 1923 Clerk.

Probate Court of the City of Newport, April 12th 1923.
Estate of Michael Morley.

Estate of Michael Morley.

REQUEST in writing is made by Michael Morley, of said Newport, a son of Michael Morley, late of said Newport, deceased, intestate, that he or some other suitable person may be appointed Administrator of the estate-of said deceased; and said request is received and referred to the Thirlicht day of April, instant, at ten oclock a. m., at the Probate Court Room, in said Newport, for consideration; and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Mercury.

DUNCAN A. HAZA

Probate Court of the Town r' New Shoreham, April 1st, 1923. Estate of Maria C. Conley

Estate of Maria C. Conley
RAY G. LEWIS. Administrator of the
estate of Maria C. Conley, late of said
New Shoreham, deceased, presents his
final account with the estate of said
deceased, for allowance, and the same
is received and referred to the 7th
day of May at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Probate Court Room, in said New Shoreham, for consideration, and it is ordered
that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week in the Newport
Mercury. EOWARD P. CHAMPLIN, Clerk

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE Estate of John A. Mitchell

Estate of John A. Mitchell
New Shoreham, April 14, 1923.
THE UNDERSIONED hereby gives notice
of the appointment by the Probate Court
of the town of New Shoreham of Edward
P. Champlin as Administrator with will
annexed of the estate of John A. Mitchell, late of said New Shoreham, deceased, and his qualification by giving
bod according to law.
All persons having claims against said
estate are bereby notified to file the same
in the office of the circk of said court
according to law.
EDWARD P. CHAMDLES

to 18W. EDWARD P. CHAMPLIN, Clerk.

STATE OF BHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court Newport, Sc. Newport April 7th, A. D. 1923. Newport April 7th, A. D. 1923.

WHEREAS, Annie C. Stephens, of the City of Newport in said County and State, has fited in this office her petition praying for a diverse from the bond of marriare now existing between the said Annie C. Stephens and Ernest E. Stephens, now in parts to the gaid Annie C. Stephens and Ernest E. Stephens or order to notice has been entered:

Notice is therefore hereby given to the said Ernest E. Stephens of the pendency of said petition and that he shall appear. If he shall see fit, at the Superior Court to be holden at the Count Hours in Newport, within and for the County of Newport, on the third Monday of May. A. D. 1923, then and there to respond to said petition.

SYDNEY D. HARVEY, Clerk.

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Probate Court of the City of Newport Estate of Patrick J. Boyle Estate of Patriex J. Boyle

NOTICE is hereby given that Alice B.
Boyle has qualified as Executor of the
will of Patrick J. Boyle, late of Newport,
deceased.

Creditors are notified to file their claims
law, begin ninghein lofficewithin the tim
in this office within the times required
by law beginning April 21st, 1922.

April 18th, 1921.

BUNCAN A. HAZARD.

Probate Court of the City of Newpor Estate of Agapito E. Gersin

Estate of Agapito E. Gersin

HEQUEST in writing is made by Emily

J. Gersin, widow of Agapito E. Gersin,
late of sold Newport, deceased intestate,
that Alfred P. G. Gatzenmeier, of sold
Newport, or coro of the consideration
may be appointed Administrator do not
sold request is received and referred to
the Footbeenth day of May heart Boen
in said Newport, for consideration; and it
is ordered that notice thereof be tuchsled
for forneen days, once a week, in the
Newport Mercury.

DUNCAN A HAZARD. DUNCAN A, HAZARD, Clerk



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Estate of Augustus N. Gersin

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FRANK P. KING. Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale

NUTUCE is hereby given that Jeremian Modarity has madified as Administrator & bod's not with the will amoved of the return of Edward Schlean, the of Newport, deceased. Undulers are institled to be their claims to the office within the times required by law becoming April 21st, 1923.

OUNCAN A. HAZARD, Clerk, April 11th, 1923.

April 17th, 1923.

Teb, 10, 17, 24, Mar. 8

FRANK P. KING. Deputy Sheriff.